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## School consolidation overshadows election

By LESLIE WILLIAMS

Sanction of another Hancock County School bond issue election scheduled January 13 was followed by requests to consolidate the Hancock County and Bay St. Louis Municipal Separate School Districts at the County Supervisors meeting Monday.

Judy McCormick, North Bay Parent Teachers Organization member, presented a petition asking the Supervisors to call an election to establish a new school district, eliminating the present city and county units.

Also urging consolidation was Robert Pflugfelder, president of the Diamondhead Community Association. "Before any final decision is made on another go at the bond issue a referendum should be held allowing all the voters of Hancock County to decide

upon consolidation," Pflugfelder continued.

The Supervisors accepted both petitions, but informed Pflugfelder and McCormick the Board is not able to call an election on consolidation of school districts.

Supervisor's Attorney Walter Gex said there are only three ways to achieve consolidation:

-The two school districts would have to agree upon consolidation, followed by a legislative enactment making the consolidation law.

-Legislative enactment alone is the second method of consolidation.

-If a petition is signed by two-thirds of the voters within a school district, the district is automatically abolished.

"There is no provision in Mississippi Law for the Board of Supervisors to call a referendum to consolidate the school

districts," Gex said

"The people to address the problem

## Officials gather unofficially

By LESLIE WILLIAMS

Four Hancock County supervisors, Waveland's mayor, a Waveland alderman, and four Bay St. Louis Council members met "unofficially" Sunday at 5 p.m. at the County Courthouse to discuss consolidation of the county's two school districts.

Present at the meeting were Beat One Supervisor Bert Courge, Beat Three Supervisor Oscar Peterson, Beat Four Supervisor Sam Perniciaro, Beat Five Supervisor James N. Travica, Waveland Mayor John Longo Jr., Ward One Alderman Barbara Rappold, Bay St. Louis Councilmen Peter Benvenuti of Ward One, James Thriffley of Ward Two, Fred Wagner of Ward Four, and Wilmer Seymour, councilman-at-large.

"The press was not invited because the meeting was unofficial," reported one of the officials attending.

When asked about the meeting the following officials replied.

Courge said, "The meeting was called to inform public officials about consolidation so that a discussion could be organized jointly with the school boards at a later date."

Benvenuti said, "I have no comment."

Perniciaro said, "The meeting was called to discuss the pros and cons of consolidation."

Travica said, "We feel we were acting in the best interest of Hancock County."

Longo said, "Yes, we did meet Sunday."

Barbara Rappold said, "I'm not at liberty to discuss that."

Thriffley said, "No comment."

Wagner said, "I simply gathered informally to exchange views."

Seymour said, "No comment - no comment."

Peterson could not be reached for comment.

to are the school boards and/or your legislators," the attorney continued.

Hancock County School District Superintendent Terrell Randolph said, "The State Board of Education told the school board if consolidation cannot be achieved because of political reasons, a feasible alternative for the Hancock County School District is to create a secondary school facility south of I-10 immediately."

"We were told that four months ago, after a feasibility study was done on the school district," the superintendent noted.

"Even if the school districts were to consolidate the schools, the bond issue would still be necessary," added Randolph.

Four supervisors voted in favor of calling the bond issue election.

Oscar Peterson of Beat 3 abstained from voting, saying, "What the feasibility study recommended is to first consolidate the school districts."

"We're leaving Pearlinton out—the new school should be built in Pearlinton," the supervisor insisted.

"There are better than 2,000 people in Pearlinton right now and they are

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ANTHONY PAYNE

## Payne services set Friday

By LESLIE WILLIAMS

Funeral services for 21-year-old Anthony J. Payne, Bay St. Louis native and Pass Christian resident who died Tuesday of auto accident injuries, will begin at 7 p.m. tomorrow at Valena C. Jones Methodist Church.

Dismissal of the body will be Saturday at 11 a.m. at the church followed by burial in Cedar Rest Cemetery, Bay St. Louis.

Payne was killed shortly before 6:30 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 19, 1978, after being struck by a car as he was standing or walking to work alongside North Street in Pass Christian.

A resident of 5 Debbie Circle, he was struck by a car driven by Linda Hagin, 19, of Pass Christian, according to police.

Payne was a graduate of Job Corps and employed at Pre-Stress in Pass Christian as a welder.

Survivors include his parents, Milton and Gloria Payne of Bay St. Louis; one brother, Keith Payne of Bay St. Louis; five sisters, Barbara Payne, Connie Payne, and Myra Payne, all of Bay St. Louis, and Janet Payne and Sedonia Watson both of Pass Christian.

## Tides

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Thurs.	2:06 a.m.	1:08 p.m.
Fri.	1:02 a.m.	
	9:19 p.m.	12:35 p.m.
Sat.	8:27 p.m.	11:31 a.m.
Sun.	8:25 p.m.	8:17 a.m.
Mon.	8:43 p.m.	7:33 a.m.
Tues.	9:12 p.m.	8:02 a.m.
Wed.	9:40 p.m.	8:37 a.m.
Thurs.	10:30 p.m.	9:17 a.m.

## Bay Council maintains neighborhood integrity

By ELLIS CUEVAS

Bay St. Louis Council was unanimous in accepting a recommendation of the Zoning and Planning Commission to reject a zoning change on Lots 23, 24 and 25, Block 5, Leonhard Subdivision.

The zoning change request was made by Kane-Uram, Inc. to rezone from a R-1 to R-2; classification to construct duplexes. The current zoning limits construction to single family dwelling.

Council took under advisement the construction of a non-conforming duplex constructed in violation of the zoning of the area, stating a building permit was issued in error by the City's building inspector.

Several residents of the area appeared before the zoning commission meeting submitting objections in writing against the zoning change.

The Council discussed the traffic problem caused by the duplex construction because of a lack of parking.

"There is one duplex already built on one of the lots, but, it was constructed before the zoning regulations went into effect and is protected by the grandfather clause."

The zoning and planning commission's minutes reflect the use of an executive session before the vote to reject the zoning request change.

The commission emphasized the correct interpretation of the zoning ordinance, making the following statement: "We would like to point out that this is only the latest in a series of

misinterpretations of the zoning ordinance by the building inspector and we feel that corrective action should be taken by the City, so that it doesn't happen again."

The commission also recommended a study of speed limits in the city to encourage use of roads and streets designed for heavy flow, eliminating much traffic in the neighborhoods and allowing traffic to move more freely throughout the city.

Council was unanimous in requesting the Gulf Regional Planning Commission to make the study. Ronnie Murray, local representative of GRPC said he will ask their traffic engineers to look into the study.

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## Banks sworn to 2nd term

By RICH ADAMS

Hancock County Beat Five School Board Trustee Johnny Banks was sworn to a second six-year term of office by Hancock County Circuit Court Clerk Henry Otis Monday at a recess board meeting.

Banks defeated opponent Harold

Necaise Nov. 7 in the County's general election to retain his spot on the board.

He received a letter of congratulations from Governor Cliff Finch and a certificate upon reelection.

Also at the meeting, school architect John Mykolyk presented several suggestions to the board concerning renovations at the system's schools.

He presented a plan to resurface portions of Hancock North Central's roof with a urethane foam coated with silicone and rubber gravel, similar to material used on the Louisiana Superdome.

If Mykolyk's proposal is accepted by the board, foam will be sprayed on edges of the roof one-inch deep, slanting to a height of eight-inches in the middle of the roof to allow water runoff.

Mykolyk said the covering will be virtually leakproof, but comes with a patch kit in case a leak occurs.

Board members expressed disapproval of a five-year guarantee involved in the foam roofing, but the architect said a 20-year bond could be obtained through the roofing company.

Mykolyk stated many roofs coated with the foam have lasted as long as 25 years without leakage problems.

Mykolyk also proposed a plan to install two air conditioning units in Gulfview Elementary's cafeteria and kitchen area. Board President Woodrow Ladner called a "sweatbox."

Ladner said a proposal was made ten years ago to cut a window in the kitchen of the food services facility to allow ventilation, but added the action was

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## Abortion incident under investigation

By RICH ADAMS

Hospital and law enforcement officials refused to comment Wednesday concerning an ongoing investigation into unconfirmed reports a doctor and nurse have resigned at Hancock General Hospital.

The dispute apparently stems from an alleged performance of an abortion involving a 15-year-old girl.

The rift among those involved is reportedly complicated by an alleged improper disposal of the fetus.

The Hancock County Sheriff's Department, Bay St. Louis Police Department, Hospital Administrator Harry Gilmore, and Hospital Board President Rev. Charles Johnson refused to comment on the matter.

None of the officials would deny the reports, but all said they are not in a position to discuss the alleged incidents at this time.

The Hancock County Medical Society is also looking into the issue, according to investigators.

## 'Circle of Gold' cited as rip-off

By ELLIS CUEVAS

Chief Postal Inspector C. Neil Benson says the chain letter called 'Circle of Gold' is in violation of Federal Law. Hancock County Sheriff Sylvan J. Ladner Jr., reports his office is doing

an all out investigation of the letter being circulated within the county and is in contact with the local postal inspector.

Sheriff Ladner contacted the postal inspector earlier this month and published a statement concerning the chain letter.

"I received over 35 or 40 telephone calls the first day after the release in relation to the 'make money fast scheme,'" commented Sheriff Ladner.

Ladner further stated, "My office is going to do an intensive investigation and if we find anyone involved we are going to prosecute them. I warned the residents about this 'Circle of Gold' being illegal. There is nothing where everyone involved can make money, someone has to lose. It is my job to protect the people from schemes such as these in Hancock County."

Sheriff Ladner further stated, "I even received a call from someone in Pearl River County. If necessary, we are going before the grand jury, for if we catch anyone we are going to follow up on it."

Sheriff Ladner said he had several names of prominent residents who have been involved in Hancock County but didn't specifically say how many.

Postal Investigator Benson's release is as follows:

"An illegal chain letter scheme that is apparently sweeping the nation is being investigated by Postal Inspectors because of numerous complaints."

RIP—OFF-Page 6A

## News Briefs

### HOME PROPOSED

A proposed \$1.8 million 120-bed skilled care nursing home to service 15 counties including Hancock will be considered at a Mississippi Health Systems Agency meeting today in Jackson. The facility, Safeland Health Care Center, will be located in Gulfport.

### CHURCH SCHEDULES

Churches in the Echo circulation area reporting Christmas services schedules are listed on Page 9A of today's issue.



AWAITING RESCUE - Jack Stahl perched on his catamaran awaits help from Hancock County Civil Defense, Bay St. Louis Police and Diamondhead Marine and Coast Guard Auxiliary Rescue Units Tuesday afternoon. The rescuers tied a rope to the upper hull and pulled until the boat stood upright. Stahl of 334 Gordon St., Waveland, said he was not in any danger. "But, said Stahl, 'I once waited out here for two nights before someone came and set the boat upright.'" (Staff photo-Leslie Williams)



NEAR TRAGEDY - Mrs. Ann Peterson and her brother Martin Moseley, left, watch as Bay St. Louis firemen work to extinguish a blaze at her residence, 446 Easterbrook St., Monday. The pair, along with Mrs. Peterson's 3-year-old son Ahmad were asleep in the house when the fire started. Investigating the incident were Chief Douglas Williams and Investigator David Selzer of Bay St. Louis police. (Staff photo-Edgar Perez)



## Cooperative, Wildlife Federation compromise on cranes

Five conservation groups and the state of Nebraska have reached a precedent-setting agreement with an electric power cooperative under which a \$7.5 million trust fund will be established to protect the habitat of the endangered whooping crane along the Platte River in Nebraska.

The trust fund will be provided by the Basin Electric Power Cooperative, of Bismarck, N.D.

As part of the agreement, Basin Electric will be allowed to proceed with construction of the \$12 million Grayrocks Dam and Reservoir near Wheatlands, Wyo.

Construction of the dam was halted last October as the

result of a lawsuit filed by Nebraska, and the five conservation organizations, led by the National Wildlife Federation.

The plaintiffs charged that Basin Electric's planned diversion of water from the Laramie River at Grayrocks could adversely affect the "critical habitat" of the whooping crane, some 275 miles downstream on the Platte River in Nebraska.

The world population of whooping cranes, not in captivity, now stands at about 75. The Big Bend area of the Platte is a stopover point form them as they fly back and forth from the Arctic Circle to their wintering grounds on the Texas Gulf Coast.

Big Bend also serves as a rest stop for sandhill cranes and millions of other migratory waterfowl.

Under the agreement, in addition to setting up the trust fund, Basin Electric will limit its use of water from the Laramie to 23,350 acre-feet per year. For their part, Nebraska and the environmental groups agreed to withdraw their objections to the project - part of a \$1.6 billion development that will supply electricity to co-ops in eight states.

The settlement, signed in the governor's office at Lincoln, establishes the "Platte River Whooping Crane

Critical Habitat Maintenance Trust" to protect and maintain the "physical, hydrological, and biological integrity" of the 60-mile stretch of river where the birds stop.

The compromise marked the first time a trust fund was established to safeguard wildlife habitat as part of the settlement of an environmental lawsuit, according to Patrick Parenteau, an NWF attorney who helped draft the pact.

The trust money, he noted, could be used for the maintenance of sandbars and wetlands, the acquisition of land and water rights or water storage, and the scientific study of whooping cranes and of critical crane habitat on the Platte.

"We are extremely well pleased with this compromise," said Dr. Fred R. Scroggin, of Dry Ridge, Ky., president of the National Wildlife Federation.

"This settlement is proof that major energy and water development projects can be built in ways that will not interfere with wildlife habitat. It also demonstrates that the Endangered Species Act is not the inflexible barrier to progress that some have claimed," he added.

Before taking effect, the agreement must be approved the U.S. Eighth Circuit Court of Appeals in St. Louis, Mo., and by the Cabinet-level "irresolvable conflicts" committee (Irconcom) created by Congress last fall to settle disputes under Section 5 of the Endangered Species Act.

Plaintiffs with Nebraska and the NWF were the Nebraska Wildlife Federation, an NWF affiliate; the National Audubon Society; the Laramie River Conservation Council; and the Powder River Basin Resource Council.

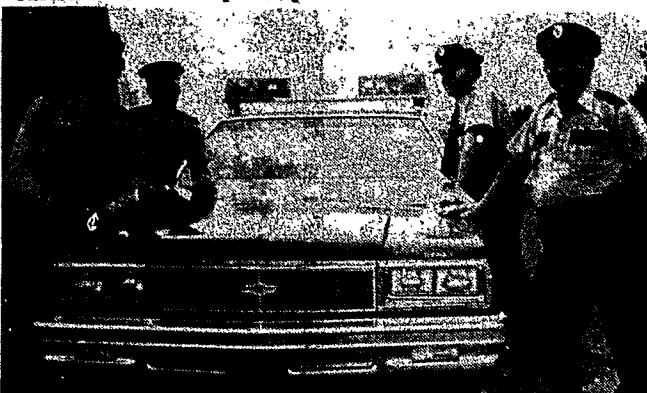
### Pooch of the Week



Bay-Waveland Humane Society, Inc., has several puppies in need of homes. Further information is available, by calling 467-9494.



**COLD FOR FARMERS TOO!**—Mr. and Mrs. Clay Hunter and son Greg were all bundled up Saturday morning at the Hancock County Farmers Market selling their produce. The Hancock County farming family are regulars at the Market on the County Fairgrounds each Wednesday and Saturday mornings. Among items available last Saturday were fresh, ripe tomatoes, sweet potatoes, peas, green onions, onions, fresh yard eggs. Some vendors had Christmas trees and potted plants. (Staff photo-Ellis Cuevas)



**NEW PATROL CAR**—Pearl River Junior College security staff members, from left, Henry Magee, Don Lee, Louis Smith and Hack Smith admire a new Chevrolet patrol car being used on the campus. The car was purchased with a federal grant from the Law Enforcement Agency and was approved in September after five years of applying.

## Burgler alarm replaced by deadly 'watchsnake'

Thank goodness for snakes. Those who suffer from herpetophobia—the fear of snakes—will be dubious, but the truth is that snakes are very helpful creatures, according to the current issue of Ranger Rick's Nature Magazine.

Because they eat rodents, insects, and other pests, both poisonous and harmless snakes are a special friend of the farmer, says the children's monthly published by the National Wildlife Federation.

All snake venoms are comprised of enzymes that attack a bitten victim's nerves, blood, or muscles.

Scientists are now able to isolate some of these enzymes to fight disease.

Cobroxin, an enzyme from cobra venom, is a powerful painkiller for patients suffering from arthritis, cancer, or leprosy.

Venom from a snake called Russell's viper is used to treat hemophilia, a blood plasma

defect that prevents normal clotting. On the other hand, says Ranger Rick, an enzyme from another viper's venom helps dissolve blood clots that can cause heart attacks and strokes.

While some poisonous snakes help fight disease—about 210 of the world's 2,600 species are poisonous—others help fight crime. Like watchsnakes. A gas station owner in Virginia employs a six-foot boa constrictor to patrol his station after hours. He hasn't had any trouble with prowlers lately.

And at a jewel exhibit in Stockholm, Sweden, three of the world's deadliest snakes were put inside the display case which held the "Star of Lanka," a gem then valued at \$429,000. No burglar alarms were needed.

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## Blessey pre-files accountability bill

Representative Gerald Blessey of Harrison County has pre-filed a bill in the 1979 Legislature requiring all agencies and departments of the state government to list all funds from all sources in making up their annual budget.

The bill includes junior and senior colleges and universities, agencies created by executive order of the Governor, and all other state agencies.

Blessey said, "Many state institutions are generating funds from the sale of their research services or through concessions located within the institutions such as candy machines or at football games.

These funds are generated by virtue of the state-supported institutions' existence, yet many agencies treat this money as if it were not the public's money.

"Unfortunately, he continued, past these monies have

remained outside of the state appropriations and auditing process," Blessey pointed out.

"I think these funds belong to the public just as much as tax monies do, because the taxpayers made it possible for these state agencies to make money," he explained.

"These extra funds need to be budgeted along with other tax-generated funds in order to set priorities for spending in keeping with the needs of the public," the legislator added.

"For instance, presidential palaces at junior and senior colleges are not needed as much as improvements at state institutions for the mentally ill or retarded, yet the appointed board of trustees of institutions of higher learning continue to show disregard for the tax-paying public by building and spending money outside of the public policy set by the elected legislature. The Board's contempt for the taxpayers must end, now," Blessey said.

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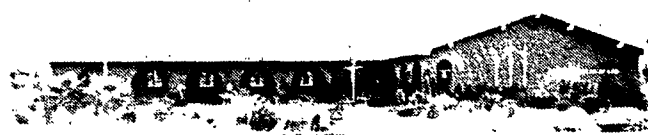
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### News from the Church of St. Ann



A thought for the day from the library of Father Canisius Hayes, pastor St. Ann's Parish

Today in the time of David, A Saviour has been born unto you; He is Christ the Lord. Let us go to Bethlehem and see this happening which the Lord has revealed to us.

Luke 2:11, 15.

St. Ann's Altar Society will not hold its monthly luncheon-social scheduled for December 27 because of the holidays.

Religious education classes for children of the parish attending public school will resume after the holidays.

There will be Rosary and special prayers after the 9:15 a.m. Mass the first Wednesday of each month, according to Sister Mary Cornelia, religious co-ordinator.

Mrs. Leonard Rupp was elected president of St. Ann's Altar society at a Dec. 12 meeting conducted by Mrs. Davis Caillier, outgoing president.

Others named to office were Mrs. Lee Hote, vice president; Mrs. Irene Graff, secretary and Mrs. A. M. Thomas, treasurer. Officers will be installed at a dinner January 9 at Annie's Restaurant, Henderson Point.

## Illionis Senator tours NASA-NSTL

U.S. Sen. Adlai Stevenson III, (D-Ill.), chairman of the Senate Sub-Committee on Science, Technology and Space, visited the NASA National Space Technology Laboratories in Hancock County Friday.

Stevenson, committee staff members and NASA officials from Washington were hosted by NSTL Manager Jerry Hlass.

Hlass briefed Stevenson and his group on the progress of the space shuttle rocket

engine testing, applications of remote sensing technology using satellite and aircraft data by the NSTL Earth Resources Laboratory and progress of the several scientific agencies in residence at this south Mississippi laboratory.

Sen. Stevenson's visit was highlighted by a tour of the Space Shuttle Test Complex where he witnessed a successful test firing of a space shuttle engine.

Stevenson said at the conclusion of his visit, "The engine test was awesome. It

was interesting to see the compact size of the engine—a miracle of engineering. The test was flawless."

"I was also very impressed by the work at NSTL with remote sensing and the progress of the many other activities at the center," the senator added.

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**CHRISTMAS WATERMELONS**—Sheldon Bermond, Ballentine St., Bay St. Louis, holds his Christmas watermelon grown in his garden this Fall. The watermelons came up from seed thrown on the ground during the Summer and produced over a dozen before the cold weather came this past weekend. Bermond said he will eat fresh watermelon from his own garden this Christmas. (Staff photo-Ellis Cuevas)



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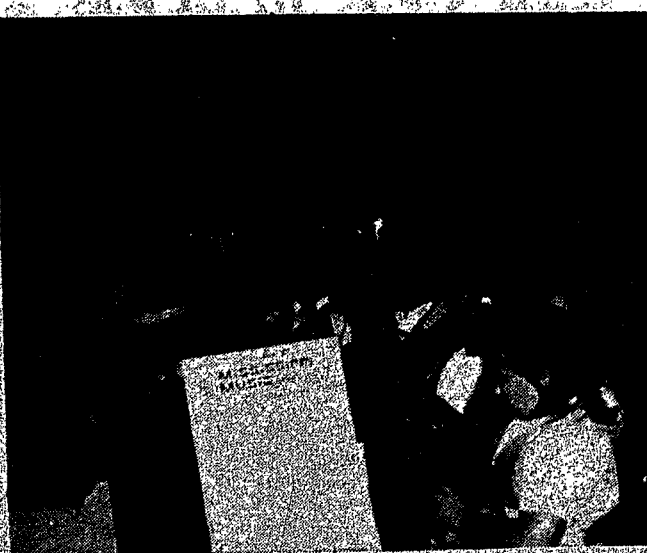
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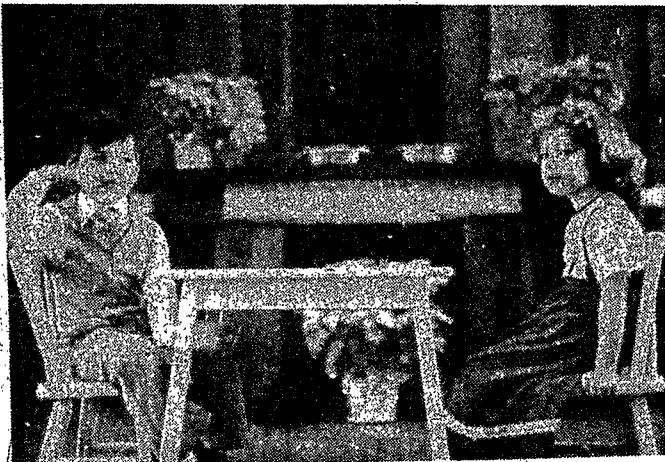


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### Social Security offers new service to deaf

The Social Security Administration (SSA) announced today that it is providing a new service for deaf persons throughout the Southeast.

According to SSA's Regional Commissioner Gordon Sherman, the service is being made possible by the recent installation of a teletypewriter (TTY), sometimes called a "telephone for the deaf," in one of the agency's Atlanta offices.

Sherman noted that many deaf persons already have ready access to similar equipment throughout the Southeast. Using such a unit, a deaf person can now get in touch with SSA to obtain information or request assistance on any social security matter.

Through this service,

Sherman said "deaf persons will have considerably more flexibility in how they do business with us." Most non-hearing impaired persons already conduct most of their business with social security by telephone. Deaf persons who have access to a TTY unit and can use a standard typewriter keyboard now have that same opportunity."

According to estimates, there are more than 286,000 deaf persons in the Southeast and over 4 million persons with hearing impairments.

SSA's new TTY is accessible by a toll-free, Region-wide telephone number which is being publicized by state counselors for the deaf and a number of schools and other organizations which have regular contact with deaf persons.

## Obituaries

**MRS. GLADYS ESKRIDGE**  
A visitation for Mrs. Gladys Jewell Taylor Eskridge, 65, was Sunday at Riemann Funeral Home in Long Beach, where the funeral was conducted Monday at 3 p.m.

Burial followed in Live Oak Cemetery in Pass Christian. Mrs. Eskridge, a native of Ward, Ala., died Friday, Dec. 15, 1978, at her home, 154 Holiday Drive, Pass Christian. She was a Baptist.

She is survived by her husband, Robert L. Eskridge of Long Beach; a son, Mark Kimer Eskridge of Pass Christian; two daughters, Mrs. Mike (Debra Joy Eskridge) Fletcher and Miss Hannah Louise Eskridge both of Long Beach; four brothers, Raymond Taylor of Mobile, Bud Taylor of Biloxi, Edward Taylor of Tuscaloosa, Ala., and Clyde Taylor of Gilbertown, Ala.; four sisters, Mrs. Mary Alma Ratcliff and Mrs. Ada Ivie, both of Ward; Mrs. Maude Booth of Tuscaloosa and Mrs. Louise Howell of Mobile.

**GILBERT DAWSEY**  
Pearlington native Charles Gilbert (Tar Baby) Dawsey, 19, died Friday night, Dec. 15, 1978, of injuries sustained when the pickup truck he was driving collided with a Greyhound Bus on US-90 in Bay St. Louis.

Dawsey was buried Sunday in Picaune. A lifetime resident of Pearlinton, he worked for Pacific Offshore Company in Houston, Texas.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jack Dawsey; four brothers, Malon Dawsey, Elliot Dawsey, Timothy Dawsey and Elvis Dawsey, all of Pearlinton; four sisters, Dallis Joe Dawsey, Sallie Dawsey, Regina Dawsey and April Kay Dawsey, all of Pearlinton; paternal grandmother, Dallis Carver Dawsey of Pearlinton and

maternal grandmother Josephine Ladner LaFontaine of Ansley.

**MURRAY G. HURD**  
Murray Gilmore Hurd, 88, 511 Trautman Ave., Long Beach, died Monday, Dec. 18, 1978, at 4:10 p.m. after an extended illness. He had been hospitalized at Memorial Hospital at Gulfport since late October.

Mr. Hurd was a retired businessman. He operated Hurd's Style Shop, a ladies and men's clothing store on 14th Street in Gulfport from about 1934 to 1957, when he sold the business and retired. He also formerly had stores in Biloxi and Laurel.

Mr. Hurd first entered the clothing business with his late step-father, Stacey E. Crane, in New Orleans in 1918.

Mr. Hurd was born Nov. 23, 1890, in Denison, Texas, and moved to New Orleans in 1900. He attended schools in New Orleans and San Antonio, Texas.

He was long active in the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, first joining New Orleans Lodge 30 in 1924. He transferred membership to Gulfport Lodge 978 in 1939-40. He was also a past district deputy grand exalted ruler of the Grand Lodge.

Mr. Hurd was inducted into the Mississippi Elks Association Hall of Fame last May, the first to receive this recognition.

He was long active in Elks' social and community work and the National Foundation. He had been a member of St. Thomas Catholic Church since moving to the Mississippi Coast.

Funeral services will be today at 10 a.m. at St. Thomas Church with the Rev. Jack Cawley, pastor, officiating.

Burial will be in Evergreen Gardens. Visitation was at Lang

Funeral Home in Gulfport on Wednesday from 6 to 9 p.m. with a recitation of the Rosary at 7:30 p.m.

Contributions are preferred to the Elks National Foundation through the Gulfport Elks Lodge.

**LANCE MARTIN**  
Lance Martin, a retired ox team driver in the logging business and a resident of Route 1, Pass Christian, died Friday, Dec. 15, 1978, at the age of 87.

Services were Saturday at the Wolfe Creek Baptist Church in Standard Community, followed by burial in the Sand Hill Cemetery at Standard.

Mr. Martin was a native of Hancock County.

He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. August Lott of Picaune; a son, Oras Martin of Long Beach; 14 grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

**RAYMOND NELSON**  
Raymond Sidney Nelson, 87, a resident of the Gulf View Haven Nursing Home in Bay St. Louis, died Friday, Dec. 15, 1978, at his residence.

The body was sent from Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis to the Leitz-Eagan Funeral Home, Veterans Boulevard, Metairie, La., for services and burial.

**WILLIE NICHOLSON**  
The funeral for Willie Marvin (Ben) Nicholson, 57, was Saturday at Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis with burial in Garden of Memories Cemetery in Bay St. Louis.

Mr. Nicholson, a resident of Route 2, Box 769, Bay St. Louis, was a 17-year resident of Bay St. Louis and a native of Wayne County, Miss. He died Friday, Dec. 15, 1978.

He was a retired construction worker and was a member of the Church of Christ.

Mr. Nicholson was a World War II veteran, who served in the Army and the Navy.

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Opinion/Ellis Cuevas

## Some people are gullible!

Recent circulation of a chain letter in our area called the 'Circle of Gold' will end up costing some unfortunates money. Two weeks ago, Hancock Sheriff Sylvan J. Ladner Jr. warned the residents the 'fast money' scheme is illegal and in violation of postal laws.

On Friday, December 15, The U.S. Post Office issued a warning from Chief Postal Inspector C. Neil Benson emphasizing that 'Circle of Gold' is in violation of Federal law.

There is not any way today, as there was not anyway 50, 100, or 500 years ago for a person to make money doing nothing.

We have heard of several making hundreds of dollars in Hancock County on the scheme, but what about the poor people at the end of the line?

Just think, some poor kids may not have a Christmas present because their parents were taken to the 'cleaners' by some fast talker a little smarter than they are.

We are happy the postal inspector is investigating the 'Circle of Gold' and since our Sheriff has made inquiries into the illegal scheme, we hope the postal inspector sets up his headquarters for an investigation in the county courthouse.

We are supposed to be in the 20th Century and we are still trying to figure out why some people are so gullible.

Good luck to Sheriff Ladner and Postal Inspector Benson on their investigation.

## Consolidation...

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going to have to ride another 15 miles to school if the new school is built four miles west on US-90 past Our Shopping Center in Waveland.

Randolph retorted, "Pearlington just has 36 students in junior high school and 43 in high school. So you're saying we ought to build a high school for 78 students."

"And the students would only have to ride eight miles," added Randolph.

Beat One Supervisor Bert Courge entered the discussion emphasizing, "Construction of this school will also work in the consolidation plan—it would not eliminate consolidation...passage of the bond issue would be an asset to consolidation."

Randolph rejoined saying, "Consolidation is in the best interest of the entire county for county patrons and students."

"But, consolidation is not in the best interest of voters in the Hancock County School District."

Randolph also answered questions for Larry Peterson of Necaise Community who filed suit against the previous school bond issue election.

Peterson asked Randolph to "put his cards on the table" and to not use an average taxpayer as an example of how much the bond issue will increase taxes, but to use members of the board of supervisors as examples.

Randolph asked the supervisors for permission to disclose their taxes and how much their taxes would increase if the school bond issue passes.

The supervisors agreed. "Courge's taxes are presently \$115.33 for 117 acres, said Randolph, "If the bond issue passes Courge's taxes would increase by \$38.17."

"Taxes on Oscar Peterson's 79 acres and two homes are \$243.77, with passage of the bond issue his would increase by \$49," the superintendent continued.

"James Travirca's taxes are presently \$147.40 for 138 acres and a house, and his increase would be \$47.40," Randolph added.

Taxes on Gex's home were chosen as an example on tax increases in Diamondhead.

Gex's property is assessed at \$18,300. He would have to pay a \$183 increase in

taxes, said Randolph. Supervisors Sam Pernicaro and Alton Kellar do not reside in the Hancock County School District.

Hancock County School District President Woodrow Ladner said there is a simple formula each individual property owner can use to determine how much his taxes would increase if the school bond issue passes.

"Property owners will be taxed \$1 for every \$100 on the total assessment of his property taxes," explained Ladner.

"For example, he continued, "My property taxes are \$720, that means I'll have to pay a \$7.20 increase in taxes if the bond issue passes."

## Letters

to the editor

## City hostage in Warner case

The Editor  
Sea Coast Echo

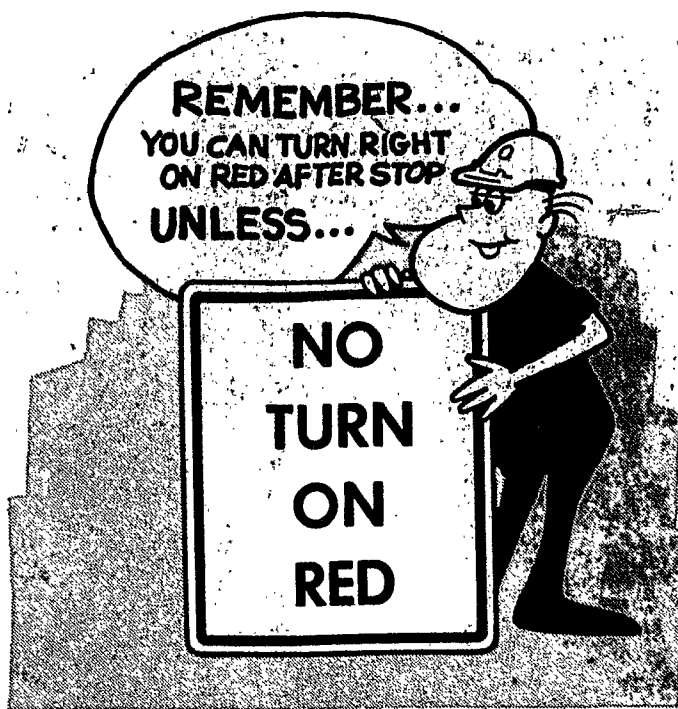
Dear Sir:

It becomes so extremely apparent that the so-called legal counsel of the Warner case has very carefully estimated promised ill-gotten gains and been able to manipulate the legal system in its entirety where-so-ever opinions would accrue to his personal aggrandizement.

All of which leaves the people, the merchants, and the future of the children of Bay St. Louis as unhappy hostages.

Sincerely,  
Virginia C. Watt

The Sea Coast Echo welcomes comments from its readers on subjects of general public interest. All letters must be signed, home address given and conform to published standards, be brief, in good taste and reason.  
Ellis Cuevas



MISSISSIPPI STATE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

## Zoning...

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In other business the Bay Council reviewed the plans and specifications for surfacing of the playground at North Bay Elementary parking lot at Bay Senior High and the street behind the high school.

Buddy Broadway of the engineering firm of Broadway and Seal told the Council all that is now needed is their permission to advertise for bids.

Broadway estimated the total cost at \$28,000 at today's prices. The project is divided into three phases for 'better control' according to Broadway because it is going to be a joint venture between the County and City.

Council authorized the City Clerk to advertise and set 7 p.m. Jan. 16, as bid opening time.

Broadway also showed the Council a preview of plans being done by his firm on the St. George Street drainage project.

"We would be finished with the plans and specifications, but it is taking a little longer to study the amount of acres which drain into the system before we can finish the plans," stated Broadway. He did say a final recommendation would be ready at the Council's regular meeting next month.

Mayor Larry Bennett reported extension of the CETA program in Bay St. Louis through June. The City employs some 21 workers through the program. Additional funds for CETA total \$89,000, according to the mayor.

Mayor Bennett reported a Title Five grant has been received for repair of roofs at the Valena C. Jones complex which houses Senior Citizens and other activities. The grant totals \$17,543.

"A recent estimate on a complete roof job for the whole complex (which also houses the Bay St. Louis Police and Fire Departments and several other offices) was placed at \$23,000," added Mayor Bennett.

Councilmen Wilmer Seymour and Harry Favre are ready to get started now because they don't want to delay or lose the grant.

Councilmen Pete Benvenuti and James Thrifflay feel they want to hear from some engineering firm or

someone in the know for the plans and specifications before starting.

Councilman Fred Wagner was not present so the issue was deadlocked until further study.

Councilman Seymour moved to appoint Broadway and Seal for the FHA project, and was seconded by Favre.

Broadway and Seal has performed the pre-application work and is familiar with the project somewhat.

Some Council members discussed advertising for other engineering firms to make a presentation to them as this water, sewerage and drainage project will involve approximately \$5-million in grants and loans.

Ronnie Murray reminded the Council that the engineering fees are set at a maximum for the project by the government.

Buddy Broadway said his firm was small, adding, "Our firm has done some work for you, and we want to do it right. We would have additional people to help us in the areas we are not familiar with."

In a vote call it was Seymour and Favre for and Thrifflay and Benvenuti against.

The Council then agreed to place advertisements in local, Gulf Coast and New Orleans newspapers requesting engineering firms interested in making a presentation to do so at 5 p.m., Jan. 9.

Council asked Ronnie Murray to seek matching funds for the \$8,250 for a historical survey. Mrs. Margaret Gibbons told Murray all he had to do was contact Archives and History in Jackson and the City could receive matching funds.

On the Bouslog sewer extension project, Council authorized Joe Brown of Joe Brown Inc. Engineers to issue a change order which would put an additional 800 feet of sewer lines on Seventh Street.

Brown said the reason for the project having approximately \$16,000 in savings so far was because of favorable soil conditions. Brown also requested an extension of 30 days for the additional work on the job. Council was unanimous in authorization.

Council granted a 10-year ad valorem tax exemption effective Jan. 1 to Alcan which is scheduled to start production in the first quarter of the year.

Discussion brought out that it is within the law and they were granted an exemption by the County.

Alcan was granted the ten year exemption by a 3-1 vote with Councilman Benvenuti voting against.

Council Attorney Joseph Gex reported he received a request from Bay Technical for an exemption of school taxes, but, since he received the request only Tuesday, he didn't have time to review the request.

Council voted to take the request under study until a later meeting this year. Benvenuti voted against the study.

Kelly McQueen, city clerk, was given authority to advertise bids on legal publication, banking institutions, etc.

McQueen told the Council the City earned \$395 on a short term deposit at People Federal Savings and Loan and that another shot term investment was made.

There being no further business Council adjourned until Thursday, Dec. 28 at 5 p.m.

## Banks...

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never taken. The board told Mykolyk to obtain an cost estimate for the job and return the figures to the board.

The board approved a project to retitle an old home economics classroom and a special education classroom at HNC and replace a two-foot door with a regulation size door.

The architect estimated the work would cost about \$600 at 50 cents per square foot, and said the door would run about \$250.

In other action Monday, the board approved final payment of \$1,000 to DECO Construction Company for completion of an addition to the gymnasium lobby at the high school.

## Sheriff, deputies named in civil damage suit

By RICH ADAMS

A lawsuit against Hancock County Sheriff Sylvan Ladner, Chief Deputy Ron Peterson, and County Jailer J. W. Paige has been filed by a state penitentiary inmate claiming the three lawmen refused him medical treatment while in the Hancock County Jail.

John Butler, an inmate at Parchman, has filed suit in U.S. District Court in Biloxi, alleging the officials refused to seek medical attention for him after a dentist allegedly pulled a wrong tooth and broke the prisoner's jawbone.

Butler claims he developed an abscessed tooth in April, 1977, while being held at the Hancock County Jail.

He was supposedly taken to a dentist, not named in the suit, who pulled the wrong tooth and broke Butler's jawbone, the petition claims.

The inmate claims he was returned to the county jail and asked to see a doctor two days following the tooth extraction. Butler claims the jailer, Paige, refused to obtain a doctor.

Butler contends he asked Peterson

to take him to a hospital, which was also allegedly refused.

The prisoner also claims he wrote two or three requests seeking medical aid to Sheriff Ladner each day, who Butler claims would not provide medical attention.

"I never received a complaint of a broken jaw from Butler," Sheriff Ladner said Wednesday.

The sheriff keeps a file of all letters and grievances received from prisoners, and no letter to the sheriff from Butler mentions complaints of a broken jaw, the sheriff's files indicate.

The suit asks for a declaratory judgment that the three defendants' refusal to seek proper medical care was an infringement of the prisoner's constitutional rights.

Butler, who is currently serving a ten-year sentence at Parchman for armed robbery and burglary, is seeking \$10,000 in compensatory damages and an additional \$10,000 from each defendant in punitive damages.



News

MISSISSIPPI ECONOMIC COUNCIL — THE STATE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Availability of energy is essential to Mississippi's and the nation's economy, and the Mississippi Economic Council has adopted several recommendations to ease the threat of a national energy crisis.

"Readily available energy is necessary for the maintenance and improvement of our standard of living, and the Council's recommendations would help to reduce the threat of an energy crisis at national and state levels," said G.B. Beard of Jackson, president of MEC, which is the "Voice of Business" in Mississippi.

Beard contended that while the energy problem must be predominantly dealt with on the national level, there are several areas in which Mississippians must work to deal with the threat of an energy crisis.

The Council has recommended that a national energy policy be adopted which would encourage development and utilization of energy resources in an orderly fashion with less governmental interference and regulation; provide incentives for the development and conservation of energy; and establish state and national environmental programs and goals evenly balanced between protection of

the environment and development of energy resources.

"Other recommendations," said Beard, "include practicing and teaching conservation in the schools, efficient use of fossil fuels and substitution of replenishable materials for nonrenewable fuel sources where practicable. Using coal in large industrial boilers in lieu of natural gas on fuel oil should be considered."

"Additional federal and state lands including offshore areas under jurisdiction of the Mississippi Mineral Lease Commission should be made available for exploration," said Beard, "and the state should encourage oil and gas exploration through tax incentives or tax relief."

"And," said Beard, "the development of other forms of energy should be promoted, such as solar, thermal wells, wind, and tides. Mississippi is well located for utilizing solar energy, and it should be considered as a currently available supplement for home, farm, and industrial applications," he said.

"Through proper utilization of our natural resources, favorable legislation, and a commitment to sound conservation practices, Mississippi can continue to grow and prosper," said Beard.

## Health Tips

CHRISTMAS CAUTION HELPS TRAGEDY

## Rip-Off...

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according to Chief Postal Inspector C. Neil Benson.

"The chain, called the 'Circle of Gold,' is believed to have started about three months ago in Marin and Santa Cruz Counties outside San Francisco, CA.

"Typically, the chain requires any participant to buy two copies of the letter for \$100 in cash. The buyer in a face-to-face transaction gives \$50 of the total to the person from whom the letter was purchased and sends the other \$50 to the first person at the top of a 12-name list.

"This top name is then crossed off and the buyer's name is added at the bottom of each copy before it is sold again."

"The scheme is similar to a Series 'E' Savings Bond scheme popular during the summer of 1976."

"Aside from the fact that those who buy and sell the chain letter are actually in violation of a Federal law," Chief Benson said, "the majority of those who become involved in this type of scheme end up as victims since actual profits from chain letters usually reach only those who enter the scheme early."

If the scheme involves the mailing of money, a bond or other valuable item, even if the chain letters themselves are not mailed, it is still a violation of Federal law.

However, so-called chain letters offering nothing more than recipes or the like are considered to be mailable because the items mailed do not constitute "a thing of value" within the meaning of the applicable law.

Postal cards involving a "good luck" chain containing a threat of bad luck to those who break the chain are, however, illegal under a law that prohibits placement of threatening matter on the outside of mail.

Chief Benson urged those who receive all chain letters to "turn them over promptly to any postmaster or postal inspector to avoid possible criminal involvement in the scheme, and to assist the Postal Service in its efforts to protect the public from this activity."

(Presented as a Public Service by the Mississippi State Medical Association and this newspaper.)

The holiday season is potentially a very dangerous one. Precautions against fire and adherence to general safety rules are of the utmost importance when Christmas preparations are being made.

Fire is the greatest single contributor to Christmas tragedies. The dangers of fire in the home are compounded during the holidays due to the presence of trees, trimmings, lights, candles, and paper decorations which would not normally be in the home.

The primary causes of home fires during Christmas are lighted candles, fireplaces, trees which become too dry, and faulty electrical connections. Common sense and adherence to a few basic safety rules can drastically reduce the number of home fires. The following guidelines should be used to assure a safe and merry Christmas:

Make an emergency plan to use if fire breaks out.

Have telephone numbers of fire and emergency squads handy.

Keep matches, lighters, and candles out of the reach of children.

Never burn candles in the middle of dried flower arrangements, cut pine, balsam or holly.

Never burn evergreens in a fireplace as dry greens burn like tinder and can flare out of control, sending sparks flying about the room.

Special precautions should also be taken with the Christmas tree because chemical coatings or sprays cannot be relied upon to flame-proof it. A fresh green tree will stay green longer and be less of a fire hazard than a dry one. A fresh tree is green.

The tree should be placed away from fireplaces, radiators, and other heat sources. It should also be out of the way of traffic and not block any doorways.

The tree, after two inches of its trunk is removed, should be mounted in a sturdy, water-holding stand with wide-spread legs and fastened to the walls or ceiling with thin guy wires which will be nearly invisible. The base should be kept full of water while the tree is indoors because heated rooms dry trees out rapidly, creating fire hazards.

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## BAY ST. LOUIS

The month of December, with its many events will linger for a long time in the memories of all the Seniors.

This event held every month was Monday, Dec. 11 at the Center. Many Seniors participated and the gifts contributed by the merchants and friends of Hancock County brought much joy to the "lucky winners" and a lot of anticipation to all.

The lucky members for this session were Sam Cuti, Carmelita Saucier, Jeanne D. Hamon, Gladys Boudro, Olga Adam, Gladys Blake, Ulan Mauffray, Eugenia Benoit, Emma Moran, Hazel Buckley, Bernice Rheume, Myrti Bouis, and Joe Petta.

Mamie Holland was the winner of the door prize.

We would like to thank all of the merchants for their many gifts contributed all year. Without their "generosity" throughout the entire year, without their loyalty to our programs, there would not have been as many good memories.

Merchants who gave gifts for the December session include Security Savings and Loan, The Flower Shop, Linda's Fabric Shop, Jean's Gift Shop, Nina Garcia's Flower Shop, Burger King, Taconi's Hardware, Red Glo Ceramic Shop, Otasco's, the Sea Coast Echo, Whitfield's Furniture, and the Eatery.

Also our RSVP Volunteers and the telephone committee: Jennie Taconi, Maggie Dambrino, Jewell Stratton, Eva Ruhr, Cecile Galivan, Nina Garner, and Lucy Bradt. Donating those delicious home baked cakes were Bertha Mahan, and Geneva Johnson.

Serving were Ethel Dorman, Margaret Smith, Katherine Galivan, and Audrey Curet.

Games coordinator is Roland Galivan. Guest registration: Joe Petta.

A "Special Thank You" for helping to make this whole year a very successful one, for us all!

## BIRTHDAY AND CHRISTMAS

The Birthday Party, usually held on the 4th Monday of every month, was combined with the Annual Christmas Party at American Legion Post No. 139 Monday, Dec. 18, at 1 p.m.

This last event of the year was a huge success and I would like to personally give my thanks to all the Seniors who came out, all of the staff members who helped so much, and last, but far from least, those ever-giving, tireless RSVP Volunteers for helping not only to make this, but all of the functions the entire year outstanding for Yours Truly.

The Party opened with an appropriate invocation of the Season, offered by Rev. Charles Clark.

Birthday greetings were extended to Louise Banks, Mildred Bobinger, Anita Cohen, Ethel Breaux, Honorine Hughes, Sedonia Fayard, Una Nuber, Ed Cagle, Frank Bussey, Eunice Arnold, Felenese Thomas, Harriet Jordan, Eugenia Benoit, Paul M. Lewis, Iita Stromeyer, Al Pareti, Trudy Sturges, and Eulas Cain.

Ethel Breaux won the special birthday prize donated by our good friend Buddy Murrow, owner of Danny's Fried Chicken Restaurant.

I would like to pay tribute to all of our city and county officials who took time from their busy schedules to attend this festive occasion.

There has never been a time that the Senior Citizens have called upon the city and county fathers of our community that we have not been met with the utmost patient understanding. The officials have always been more than happy in meeting our requests, whenever possible. Gentlemen, it is a pleasure at all times to have you present with us for our functions, especially at this busy, busy time of the year.

In attendance were the Supervisors Bert Courrage, Beat 1; Oscar Peterson, Beat 3; Sam Perniciaro, Beat 4; and James Trivica, Beat 2. Board President was unable to attend because of illness.

John Rutherford, chancery clerk; Henry Otis, Circuit

clerk, and Norton Haas, Sr., president of the Hancock County Chapter of The United Way; His Honor Mayor Larry Bennett, of Bay St. Louis and the very beautiful Mrs. Joan Bennett, Supervisor Sam Perniciaro, representing the City of Waveland since Mayor John Longo was out of the City, all were gracious enough to honor us with their presence.

Each of the dignitaries spoke and extended Holiday Greetings, congratulating all of the Seniors on progress they have made since the Program was initiated in 1972.

The Moran Family Gospel Singers entertained everyone for about a hour. This very versatile group are also very fine instrumentalists as well as their great singers.

It is always such a wonderful experience for us to have the Morans with us, they always hold everyone spellbound with their performances.

Our own Senior Rita Marti favored everyone with a solo, Silent Night, in her native German. It was very beautifully done, and inspired us all to applause.

Paul M. Lewis from the Day Care Center sang a lifting "When The Saints Go Marching In," which ended in a Grand March around the Hall by all the Seniors.

Charles Johnson and Yours Truly led everyone in caroling to close the festivities.

The Senior Citizens Center in Bay St. Louis will be closed Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 25 and 26, and Jan. 1 and 2.

All classes at the Center will be suspended from Dec. 22 until Jan. 3.

The Christmas Party was a time for Mrs. Eve McDonald, multi-purpose director; Jim Hoda, recreation and transportation director; Carl Baldenhofer, instructor of art class and on behalf of the Art Class; and the Senior Citizens to present a gift of oil paintings, in appreciation of the Center's Funding Agencies.

Original paintings were presented to the Hancock County Board of Supervisors, Cities of Bay St. Louis and Waveland, Hancock County Chapter of The United Way, and the State Department of Public Welfare.

Door prize winners at the party were Laura Mauffray, Carmelita Saucier, Eulysse Cain, Juanita Parker, Ethel Dorman, Emily Oliver, and Ruth Favre.

Merchants and friend contributing to the Christmas Party were Danny's Fried Chicken, Scaffidi's Wheel Inn, Santa Village, Mayor and Mrs. Larry Bennett, of Bay St. Louis; Mayor and Mrs. John Longo of Waveland, Seniors' Quilting Class, and the People Federal Savings and Loan Association for the delicious birthday cakes.

Thank you, one and all, for a delightful afternoon, filled with fun and surprises.



## Happenings

## WAVELAND

There will be no coffee and biscuit and Blood Pressure Sessions at the Civic Center on Tuesday mornings until Jan. 9.

## WAVELAND SENIORS

The Senior Citizens Clubs' installation of officers and Christmas Party were held at the Civic Center Monday, Dec. 11.

There were 70 members in attendance, Cecile Galivan, entertainment chairman, and her committee did an outstanding job, along with all the members who brought a covered dish.

Santa Claus was also there to give out gifts to everyone. Waveland City Attorney, Lucien Gex, installed the 1979 officers.

They are Pere Cabibi, president, Dudley McCall, first vice-president; Eunice Murray, second vice president; Katherine Galivan, secretary; and Elsie McCall, treasurer.

Gifts were presented to 1978 President Ruby Life and Barbara Rappold, city clerk and alderman, Ward 1.

A Good Time Was Had By All!

## AARP

American Association of Retired Persons, Hancock County Chapter No. 1114 Installation of Officers and Christmas Party was held at the Waveland Civic Center, on Monday, Dec. 18 at 11 a.m. It's 84 members present will attest to its success.

Marie Ryan, assistant state director, installed the 1979 officers.

They are - President - Esther Oshman, first vice-president Gordon Stone; second vice president, Theresa Collins; Secretary, Andrew Hubert; treasurer, Paul Loup has been appointed to assistant state director for 1979.

Congratulations Paul. We know you will do a great job and your own chapter members are proud to be represented by you throughout the State.

Cecile Galivan, chairlady, and her assistant Georgiana Diebold, two of the busiest women in all of the Senior Organizations, did a fine job in the decoration department.

The members brought covered dishes, and Wow! if anyone likes fine eating, they should sure attend one of these covered dish dinners. That was some good ole southern cooking.

Entertainment was furnished by The Seniors Too Orchestra from Gulfport. The Orchestra members are all RSVP Volunteers. Dick Austine, tenor and alto sax, is the director. Mark Ritter, also on the tenor and alto sax, Randall McDonnell on Piano, Loretta Ritter on bass electric guitar, and Mercedes Mobley on cocktail drums round out the group.

They played a variety of tunes - nostalgia of the 20's, 30's, ad 40's. Everyone agreed it was the best luncheon music they have heard in many years.

The festive celebration ended with a gift exchange.

## ILLNESS

Hospitalized in Hancock General are Ernest Cuevas, Ira Young, Mary Ladner, Charles Vanderet, Miss Nathaniel Collins, Rubel Bordages, Hilda Klenenn, Annie Bontemps, Dora Yarborough, Albert Rayborn, Elisha LeBrun, Clara Ashby, Janet Dupeire, and John Bordages, who has been sent to Gulfport Memorial.

Our Prayers are with you all for a speedy recovery. Hurry and come back to all of us. We miss your smiling faces, and this keeps ours from being too sunny.

Please remember them with a call or card or maybe a short visit during this Holiday Season. It will add some cheer to both their days and yours.

## CLOSING

Well, once again, Christmas Day is here. Everyone is filled with Love, and Cheer.

But let's remember there are 364 other days in the year, in which Cheer, and Love should also Appear!

May Each of You and Yours have a happy, joyous Holiday Season!

## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Albert William Wiley of Bay St. Louis announce the birth of their first child, Tabitha Lynn, on Dec. 11, 1978 at Gulfport Memorial Hospital.

She weighed 8 pounds, 14 ounces.

Mrs. Wiley is the former Brigette Fricke of Bay St. Louis.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fricke of Bay St. Louis.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. John C. Wiley of Waveland and Ms. Nell Wiley of Bay St. Louis.

LAST MINUTE SHOPPERS

## Gift Specials

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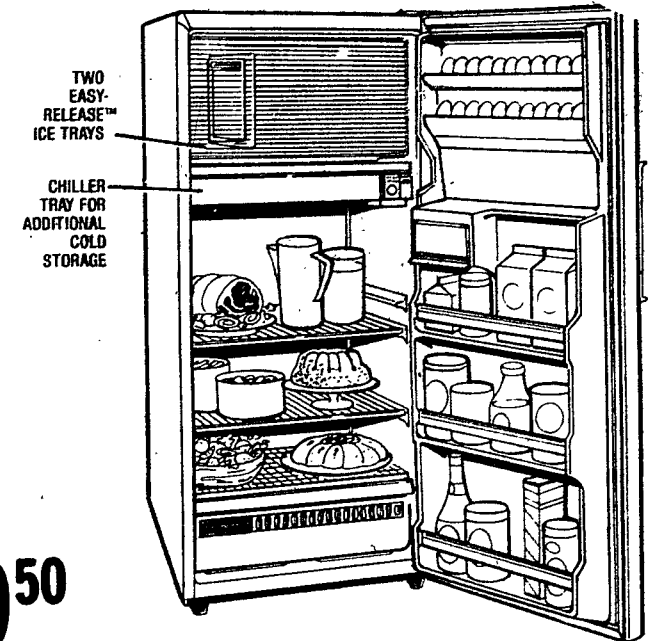
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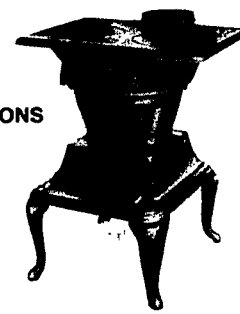
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Pockted Egg Rack

Reg. 335<sup>50</sup>SPECIAL \$309<sup>50</sup>

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Top—20 1/2" x 15 1/2"  
Height—25"  
Diameter fire pot 11 1/2"  
Shipping weight—83 lbs.



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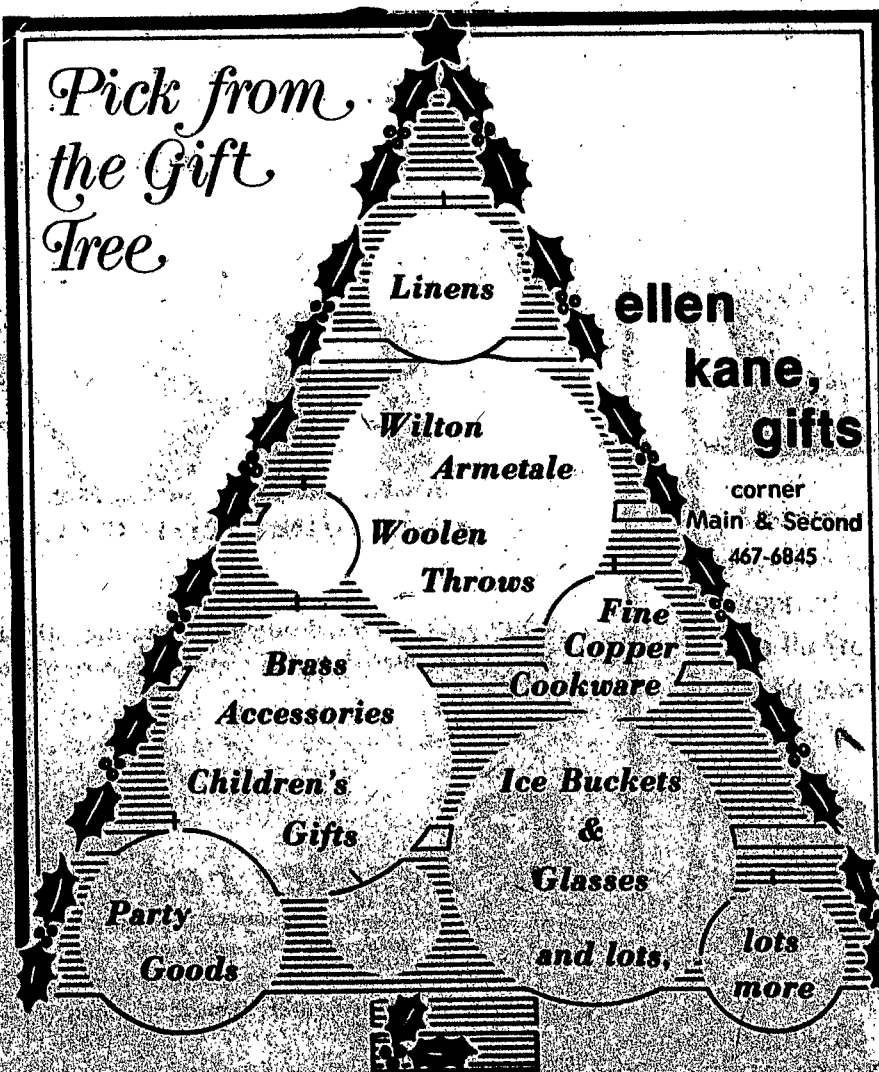
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# Buccaneer Crew Notes Sherry Price

Ladies exercise classes at Buccaneer State Park will be cancelled after tonight's class until Monday, Jan. 15, 1979.

At this time the class will resume and participants are asked to meet in the Park Recreation Hall at 7 p.m. At this time I would like to

extend best wishes for a happy holiday season to the residents of Bay St. Louis-Waveland. When visitors drop by over the holidays, get outside in the fresh air and bring them to Buccaneer State Park. The Park will be opened during the holidays, come out and relax.

## LEGAL NOTICES

### INVITATION TO BID

Public notice is hereby given that the Mayor and Council of the City of Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi, will receive sealed bids, up to 4:00 p.m. January 2, 1979, from suppliers and/or dealers to furnish the City with the following:

1. Prices on sand, clay-gravel, asphalt paving and clam shells, all to be delivered as and when needed by the City in trucks to job sites in Bay St. Louis. Local bidders are requested to show prices at the pit separate from prices delivered to the job site. Asphalt paving will include street cleaning and spreading.
2. For pipe, both metal and reinforced concrete, all sizes, to be used for drainage.
3. Prices for rental per hour for dozer with operator, back-hoe with operator and dragline with operator to be made available on and as when needed by the City. Indicate equipment size and capacity.
4. Emergency Sewer Repair Superintendent w-truck...\$ per hr. 3 laborers...\$ per hr. 600 Backhoe or equivalent (with operator)...\$ per hr. Front End Loader with operator...\$ per hr. Tand. Dump Truck...\$ per hr. Mud Pump...\$ per hr.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids. The City of Bay St. Louis is an Equal Opportunity Employer. All bids remain good for six (6) months. By Order of the Mayor and Council of the City of Bay St. Louis, Miss. on this 5th day of December, 1978.

Kelly L. McQueen  
City Clerk  
12-21-78

### CHANCERY SUMMONS

NO. 14,189

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, To Theodore Washington, if alive, a non-resident of the State of Mississippi whose present address, post office and/or street address is unknown after diligent search and inquiry, and if dead, the unknown heirs at law of Theodore Washington, whose names and addresses, post office and/or street address are unknown after diligent search and inquiry;

Jamie Roberson Washington, if alive, a non-resident of the State of Mississippi whose present address, post office and/or street address is unknown after diligent search and inquiry, and if dead, the unknown heirs at law of Jamie Roberson Washington, whose names and addresses, post office and/or street address are unknown after diligent search and inquiry; and any and all persons having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in the hereinafter described land;

Lots 43 and 44, Block 7, Carvers Paradise Resort as per the official plat of said subdivision at plat Book 2, page 15 on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on or before the 11 day of January, A.D., 1979 to defend the suit No. 14,189 in said Court of Michael Anthony Wheat.

This hearing is set for 10:00 A.M. January 12, 1979 at Hancock County Courthouse in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi.

This 19th day of December, A.D., 1978.

John D. Rutherford, Jr.,  
Chancery Clerk  
By Sheryl Cummings,  
D.C.  
12-21, 12-22-78, 1-4, 1-11-79

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### Sheriff's office investigating gunshot death

ELLIS CUEVAS  
Hancock County sheriff's office is investigating the death of Clifton Spencer Vann, caretaker of the "Lazy J" Ranch, Hancock County. Sheriff Sylvan J. Ladner Jr. said neighbors became suspicious when they failed to see Vann between Tuesday and late Sunday evening. He was found with a bullet wound through his head by Hancock deputies Ronnie Peterson, Paul Bernard, Delbert Seay and Highway Patrol Investigator T.P. Naylor.

The call was received by the sheriff's office at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday. Hancock Coroner Carl Banderet held an inquest with Paul Bernard as bailiff and Ronnie Peterson, Delbert Seay, Don R. Smith, K. Shaw, Willard Page and Paul Harrel as jurors.

Sheriff Ladner reports indications are Vann died of a self-inflicted wound, but a full investigation is being conducted by his office as well as by the Highway patrol.

A .22 caliber rifle was found by the body. Vann had been employed at the ranch for about eight years, according to the sheriff's office.

The ranch is owned by J. Linder, Metairie, La. Vann came here from York, Ala., and is reported to have a sister still living there and one in Chicago, Ill.

### PRC lists holiday slate

Dormitories and administrative offices will close Friday, Dec. 22 at 3 p.m. for the Christmas Holidays at Pearl River Junior College.

Final exams are planned for December 19-22, according to a schedule released by Enoch Seal, academic dean. Regular classes will be held through seventh period Monday, Dec. 18.

All financial accounts, such as the PRC bookstore, business office and library must be paid before a student is permitted to take, or be exempt from any examination.

Students who have not been re-admitted to a class because of too many absences will not be allowed to take finals. According to PRC policy students that take final examinations, will receive a final grade.

All grades are due in the Academic Dean's Office by 3:15 p.m. Friday, Dec. 22.

Registration for the spring semester begins Monday, Jan. 8 and continues through Tuesday, Jan. 9.

Dormitories will reopen Sunday, Jan. 7 at 3 p.m.

### Benefit concert scheduled in Pascagoula

Singing ensemble John Wayne Bernard with Robyn and Crystal and the Southern Envoys will be featured in a concert presented by the Jackson County Society for Mentally Retarded Citizens Dec. 16 at 7:30 p.m.

The concert will be presented at the Jackson County Junior College Gym. Advance tickets are available at Peak's Christian Book Store in Pascagoula and Ron & Dean's Mens Wear in Gautier.

### Homemakers plan next meet Jan. 18

Bay St. Louis Extension Homemakers Club held its annual Christmas party December 14 in extension auditorium with 22 members attending.

The group will hold its next regular meeting at 2 p.m. January 18.

### Jessica Lynn Santinelli baptised at OLC

Jessica Lynn Santinelli, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Santinelli Jr. of Bay St. Louis, was baptised Sunday, December 17, at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church with Rev. Louis Lohan associate pastor officiating. Godparents are a paternal cousin, Jack Ulrich and a maternal aunt, Mrs. Phyllis Moran.

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## Bay High suffers loss to Bearcats

The Long Beach Bearcats and Bearkittens defeated the Bay St. Louis Tigers and Tigerettes in Long Beach last weekend in a basketball doubleheader.

Ed Saucier led the Tigers Saturday in the losing effort with four field goals and three free throws for a total of 14 points.

## Hawkettes defeated in finals

The Hancock North Central Hawkettes were defeated in the final game of the Brookhaven Invitational Basketball Tournament Saturday by Brookhaven, Miss., 45-39.

Sheila Ladner led the Hawkettes with a 17 point performance, followed by Joye Lee with 14 points.

Jenny Byrd directed the Brookhaven five with 15 points, assisted in the winning effort by Sally Gulley's 14 points.

The Hawkettes, now 10-3 for the regular season this year, resumes play Dec. 27 in the Gulf Coast Jaycee Holiday Classic in a 6 p.m. contest against Buckeye, Ala. in the Pass Christian gymnasium.

Thomas Bailey netted 12 points, Teddy Haynes and Scott Anderson both added 11, and Alex Herrington scored 10 points for Bay High.

Doug Beatty and Greg Magee put in 18 points each, Alvin Wurthner netted 16, Jeff Alexander scored 13, and Harry Olinger chipped in 11 in the Bearcats 97-66 win over the Tigers.

The Bearkittens returned from a three point deficit after three quarters to register a 45-39 win over the Tigerettes.

Teresa Dunigan was high scorer for Bay St. Louis with 14 points, assisted by Karen Tillman's 12 points.

Lisa James led the winning effort with 14 points, and Janine Cuevas netted 12 for the Long Beach ladies.

Bay High plays in the Gulf Coast Jaycees Holiday Classic tournament Dec. 27 in Tiger Stadium.



**NAMED ALL-TOURNEY**—Penny Boudin, left, and Joan Farve of Bay Catholic Elementary School's fourth through sixth grade girls basketball team display the Annunciation Tournament captured by their team. The girls are also proud winners of individual trophies for their selection on the all-tournament team. (Staff photo-Edgar Perez)

## MSU thinclads open season

Opening its season in the Senior Bowl Invitational on Friday, Dec. 22, Mississippi State's indoor track team has lined up one of its most rugged schedules for 1978-79.

Highlighted by the Mississippi State-Southern U.S. Track and Field Federation Championships in Jackson, Miss., on Jan. 20, the slate features rugged local and intersectional competition.

Coach Don Hunt's group will be young but talented, and most of its activity will center on January and February weekends.

## Overboard in cold water requires survival skills

Cold weather fishermen and hunters are urged to exercise caution on icy waters, the number one killer of winter sportsmen in this part of the country.

Mitch Reeves, director of the Mississippi Boat and Water Safety Commission, warns sportsmen of the impending hypothermia and cold water deaths in Mississippi during the winter months.

He explained that hypothermia is subnormal temperature within the central body.

When a person is immersed in cold water, the skin and nearby tissues cool very fast. When the core body temperature reaches 90 degrees F., unconsciousness may occur.

Survival in cold water depends on many factors. The temperature of the water is only one. Others include body size, fat, and activity in the water.

By swimming or treading water a person will cool about 50 percent faster than if remaining still. The "drown-proof technique" requires putting the head into the water and will cause a person to cool about 82 percent faster than if floating still with the head out of the water.

Since water can conduct heat 25 or more times faster than air, cold water immersion may cause a rapid loss of body heat.

Most boats will float even

when capsized or swamped. Therefore, get in or on the boat to get as far out of the water as possible.

Wearing a PFD is a must. It will keep you afloat even if you are unconscious, Reeves pointed out.

Reeves stated the symptoms of hypothermia are shivering, slurred speech, loss of control of the hands and

feet, stupor, incoherence, drowsiness, exhaustion, collapse, and finally death. The greatest killer of hunters and fishermen is hypothermia.

For additional information concerning hypothermia, write Reeves at Mississippi Boat and Water Safety Commission, 720 North President St., Jackson, 39202.

## Deer season ends

Mississippi's still-hunting season on deer which opened December 16 will continue through Saturday, Dec. 23 in areas around the state specified for that season. During this time dogs are not permitted for hunting deer, the state's most sought-after big game animal.

But the season many hunters await is the last gun season on deer, opening Tuesday, Dec. 26 and extending through Jan. 15, 1979.

Dogs may be used during this time. Shooting hours are one half hour before sunrise until sunset.

The bag limit on deer during both the still season and the last regular gun season is one adult buck with antlers visible above the natural hairline per day with no season limit.

"Hunter success is usually higher during this last season, mainly because the buck rutting season has intensified causing more bucks to be on

the move," Wildlife Coordinator Edsel Cliburn said.

"Bucks are less cautious at this time, a factor which results in 60 to 80 percent of the buck deer harvested annually." Last year of the reported 49,545 deer taken by hunters, 22,392 were harvested during the last gun season.

The top ten counties representing nearly 33 percent of the statewide harvest in 1977 were: Carroll, Wilkinson, Warren, Claiborne, Jefferson, Copiah, Washington, Lafayette, Greene, and Bolivar.

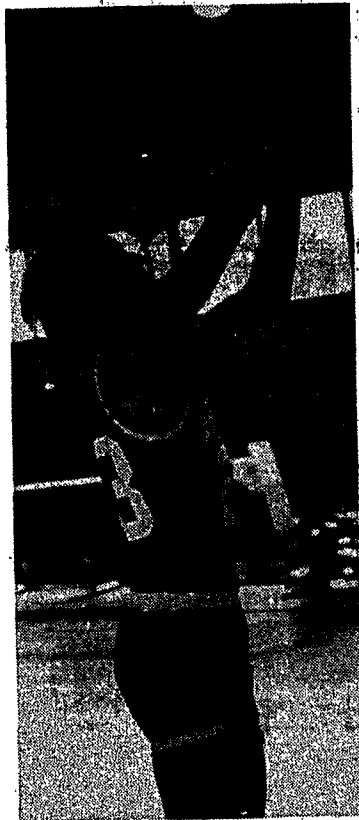
According to Game and Fish biologists, Mississippi's deer harvest continues to increase annually, and more is expected this year.

Hard mast which deer utilize has been plentiful this year, biologists say. However, winter weather brings on changes in feeding habits and hunters should take notice.

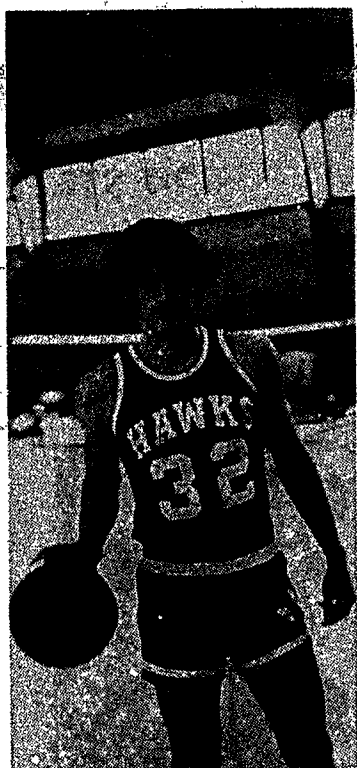
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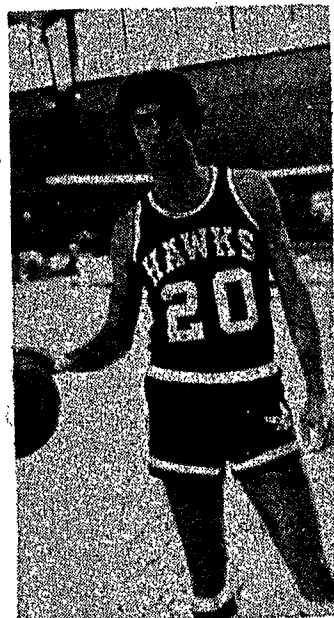
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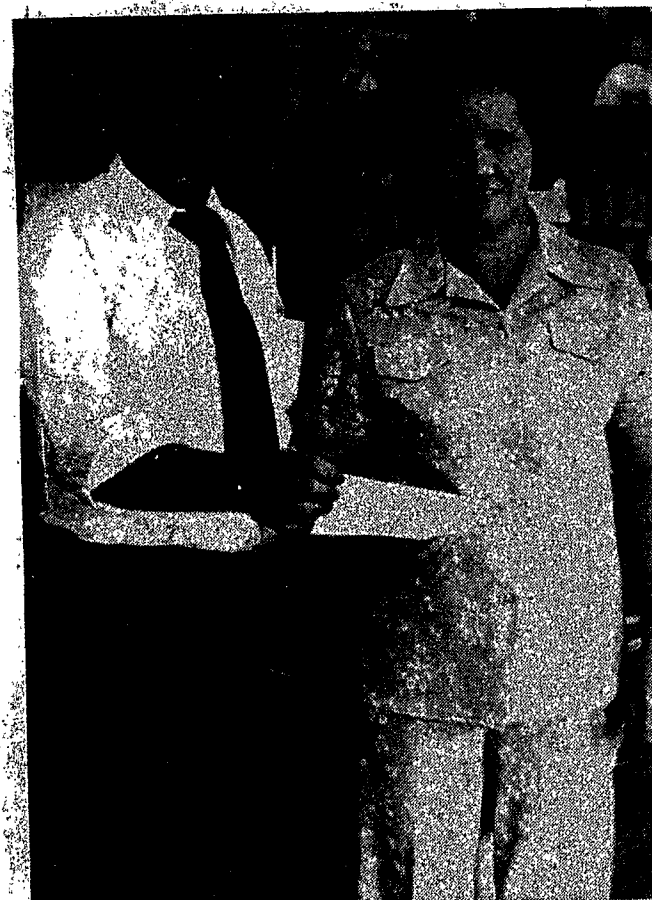




**REPUBLICAN WOMEN** - Ms. J. Harrison Life, newly installed president of the Hancock County Republican Women's Club, presents a 'Woman of the Year' award to Mrs. John McPhail for her efforts on behalf of the Republican Party and the recent campaign of Senator-elect Thad Cochran.



**OFFICIALS DISCUSS EMERGENCY**-Bay St. Louis Fire Chief Richard Payard, left, City Water and Utilities Foreman Alton Sick, center, and Bay Police Chief Douglas Williams, discuss a route to be taken by Bay firemen in removing a leaking chlorine gas tank from a water pumping station in Bay St. Louis recently. The faulty tank was taken to a dump outside Catahoula. (Staff photo-Rich Adams)



**CHRISTMAS CASH** - Mrs. Ordean Powell, Ballentine Street, Bay St. Louis, receives a \$100 check from Jerrel Smith, manager of Jitney Jungle. Ms. Powell, a lucky contest winner at Jitney, said the money will come in handy for Christmas presents. (Staff photo-Ellis Cuevas)

S. Grady Thigpen

## History of daily life reflects character

The history of events such as we find in the text books is of course important, but the history of what people did, how they lived, and how they made a living is much more important because it tells us about the character and the accomplishments of our forefathers.

History tells us where we've been and, if we study it, it indicates where we are going.

When I grew up at Lake Como in Jasper County in central Mississippi during the 1890's and 1900's a farm was a self sustaining and self supporting entity.

The farm family lived together, worked together, ate together, played together and prayed together.

On the farms of that day the children were kept so busy there was never in our area any time or place for teen-age problems. The boys were kept home at night. If there was any running around under the cover of darkness, it was done by the dog or the cat, not by the boy.

There is no wonder that the crime rate has gone up so much when Junior spends his evenings on the streets or racing up and down the highways spending every cent he can get from his dad and beg from his mother.

In my opinion, the only cure for the teenage problem is to give the teenagers plenty to do - keep 'em busy! Back when I grew up boys and girls had plenty to do. Just one of our many tasks was to attend the milk cows, do the milking and feeding, etc.

To have milk and butter it had to be produced on the farm. There was no place to buy it back in those days, and this was true in the towns and cities as well as on the farm.

When I moved to Picesune in 1917, just after I married, almost every family in the town kept a milk cow. We kept one for several years - until dairies were established to sell and deliver milk daily.

Even the White House in the early days of this country had a vegetable garden and milk cows. A visitor to the White House while James Madison was president wrote, "Mrs. Madison showed me her vegetable garden of which she was very proud." Also this same visitor said there were good milk cows stabled on the White House grounds.

When I was growing up we had to feed and milk the cows twice daily - in the early morning and in the late afternoon, and we had to do this 365 days in the year - never any vacation, and we had to do it regardless of the weather, in the hottest part of summer and the freezing weather of winter.

We had to milk several cows to get the milk and butter needed on that farm as the cows we had back then were not heavy milkers like the ones most people have today.

It usually took two persons to do the milking, one to do the actual milking and the other to hold the calf, or the milk could tie the calf up while doing the milking.

When a calf was turned into the stock lot where its mother was, it would race to her and begin to suckle. This would make the cow's milk come down, as it was said.

After letting the calf suckle long enough to get its part of the milk, it would be pulled away and held by the calf rope until the milk had gotten all the milk he could. The calf would then be allowed to suckle again for a short time, and then pulled away again, after which the cow was "stripped" to get the cream which was the last part to be gotten.

The milk would be carried into the kitchen and poured into stone crocks to cool and to wait for the cream to rise.

After the cream rose to the top of the milk it was skimmed off but to get all the cream a good part of the milk had to be taken along with it.

The cream was then poured into another crock or pan to stay until it turned. Now, the word turn has many definitions.

In this case it means the milk and the cream with it would gradually turn acidic.

To get the best butter and the best butter milk, the milk had to be churned at the right time - when it had turned to the right degree. If it was churned too early it was difficult to get the butter to rise, and when it did the butter would be too soft and the butter milk too watery and not so good to drink.

If the milk was turned just right it was easy to do the churning, and the butter would be firm and the butter milk thicker and tastier.

Before putting one of the children to work doing the

churning with an old time earthenware churn and wood dasher, my mother would examine the milk to see if it had turned.

She was usually right and the job not much trouble, but if she was in error, the churning would take a long time and be the most boring task I've ever gotten into.

I've pumped the dasher up and down in that old earthenware churn for what seemed like hours. When one arm got tired, I'd use the other one. When it took too long to complete the job of churning my mother would pour a little water into the churn to make the butter come more easily. Whether the waster was hot or cold, I don't remember.

After the churning was completed, my mother would take the butter out and, as she called it, work it to get all the water out of it. She would put a little bit of salt in it to make the very best butter on earth.

It was pure butter - nothing added except the salt. Butter had many uses on that farm. To me it was most delicious when used in hot buttered biscuits with pure home made cane syrup, or in hot buttered corn bread or when melted in a hot sweet potato.

There would be left in the churn after the butter was removed, highly appetizing butter milk. Fresh pure butter milk was a favorite food, or drink, whichever you want to call it.

The milk left after the skimming of the cream would soon turn slightly sour, akin in taste and in content to yogurt, a good healthy food.

A favorite food of mine when a boy, and still a favorite was to take corn bread from home ground corn meal from which the kernels have not been removed, crumble the corn bread into the slightly acid milk.

If there is anything any better to eat I don't know what it is. I like the slightly sour milk much better than the fresh sweet milk.

This acid milk allowed to set very long will curdle and turn into clabber, another form of milk that was a valuable food back in the old days.

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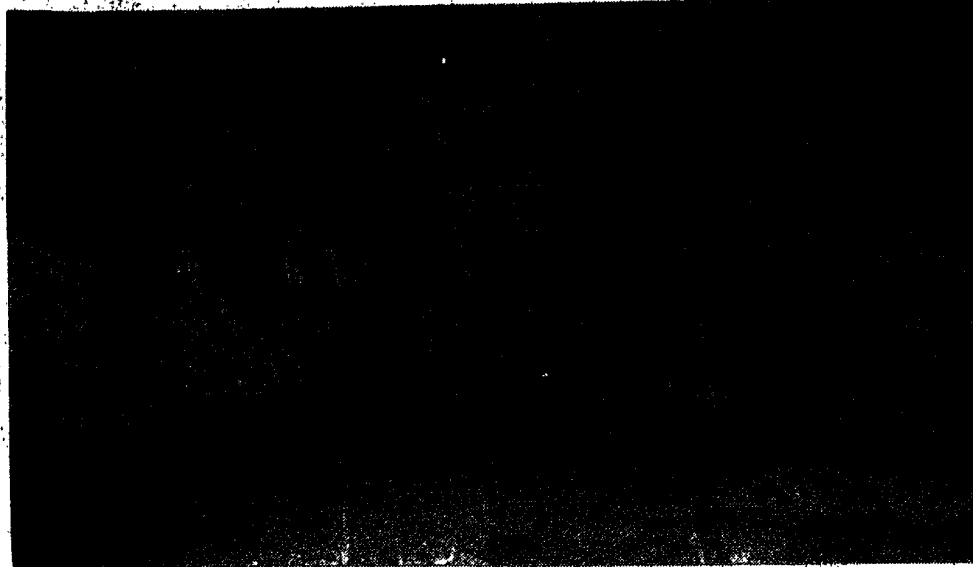
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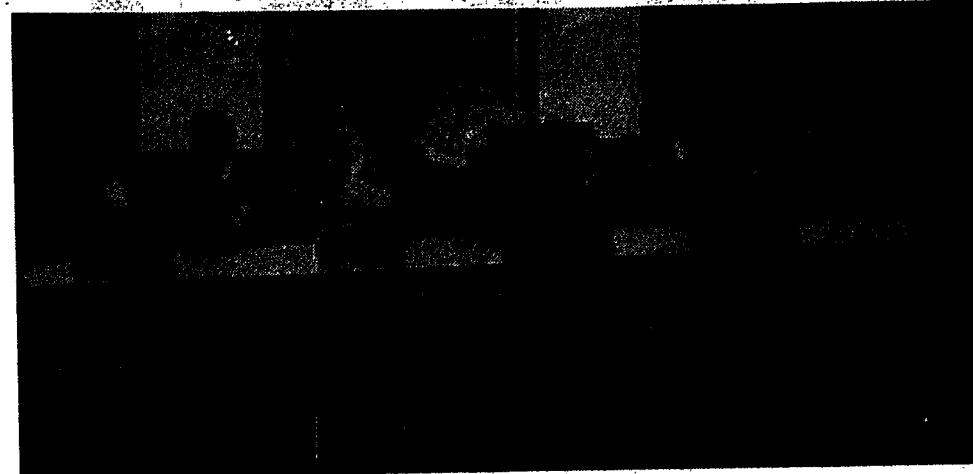
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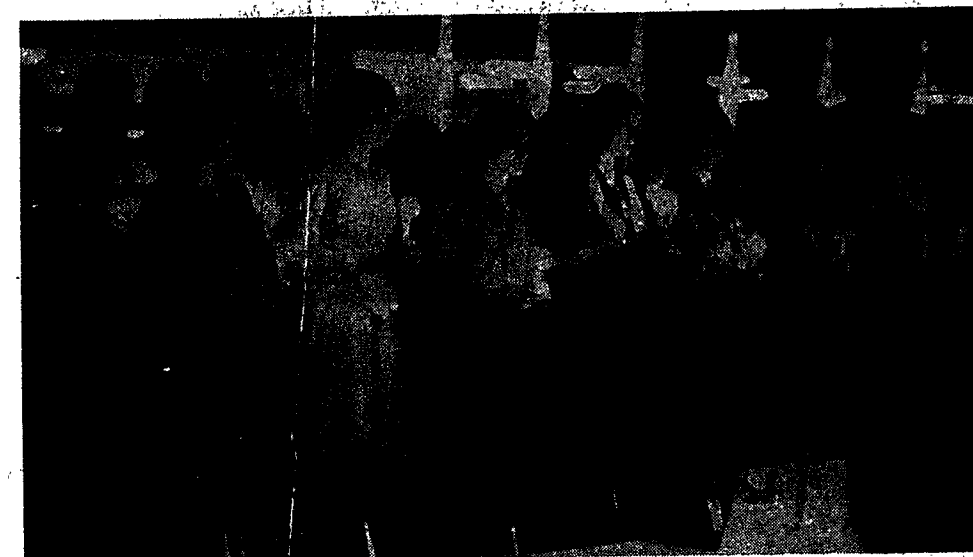




**NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY INDUCTEES** - Inducted into the National Honor Society at Bay Senior High recently are, standing from left, Anna diBenedetto, Robin Corr, Ann Johns, Darlene Netto, Donna Osterholm, Hanneke Hermesen, Mike Moore, Susan Hearty, Honorene Hazen, Lisa Smith, Rose Marie Beaugez and Frank Ladner, sponsor; and sitting from left, Cheryl Carlson, Sarah Gibson, Julia Payne, Anne McCarthy, Mary Ann Alsobrook, Michelle Romine, Diane Dobson and Danita Sciamma. Ms. Hermesen, an exchanged student was conferred with an honorary membership. (Staff photo - Ellis Cuevas)



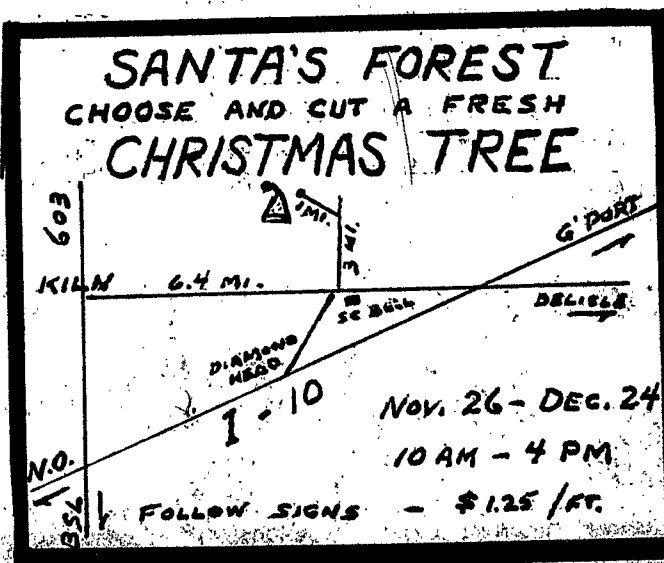
**SENIOR HIGH ACTIVITIES** - Mindy Dobson speaks on scholarship at the annual National Honor Society induction ceremonies at Bay Senior High. At head table are Cathy Hamilton, leadership; J. D. McCullough, Superintendent of Bay St. Louis Municipal School System; Alane Carlson, scholarship; Ms. Dobson, Frank Ladner, sponsor; Celia Wilcox, service; and guest speaker Rev. Nathan Barber, pastor First Baptist Church, Bay St. Louis. (Staff photo - Ellis Cuevas)



**CANDLELIGHT CEREMONIES** - A candlelight ceremony by the Bay Senior High National Honor Society preceded a banquet for students and parents last Thursday. The senior members of the National Honor Society are Thomas Bailey, Sheila Bell, Mary Beth Benvenuti, Alane Carlson, Mindy Dobson, Edwin Goodwin, Cathy Hamilton, Kelyn Kidd, Lynne Little, Alice Lynch, Monica Parker, Celia Wilcox, Annie Wilkinson and Sherry Wyatt. (Staff photo - Ellis Cuevas)

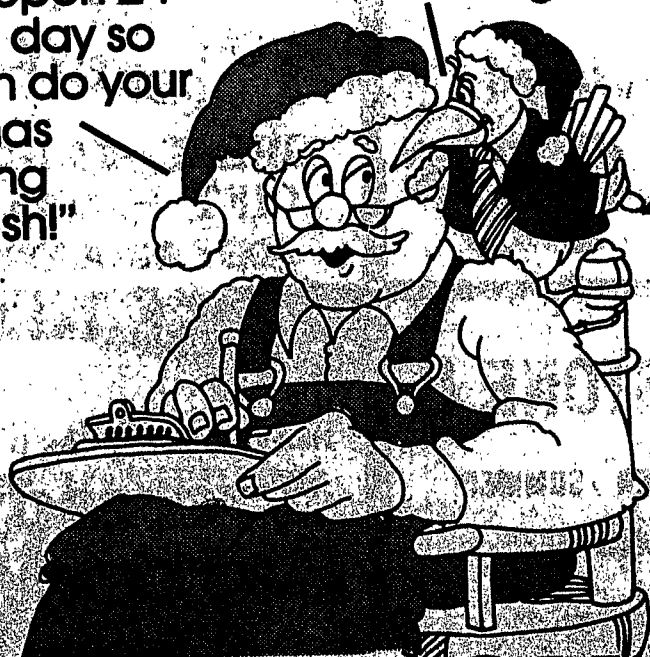
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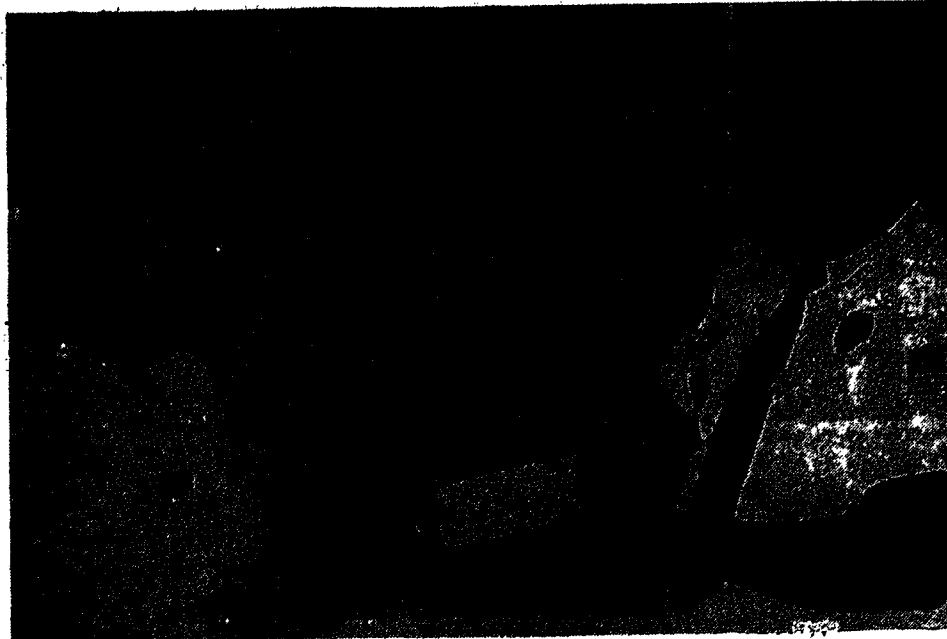


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**"JAWS OF LIFE" DONATION** - Bay St. Louis Chief of Police Douglas Williams, right, presents a \$100 check to Bay St. Louis Fire Chief Richard Fayard, a donation from the policemen's fund to the 'Jaws of Life' campaign. Fayard reports a total of \$4,238 has been donated in cash and pledges towards the purchase of the much needed equipment. A complete unit of the 'Jaws of Life' cost approximately \$5,200. (Staff photo - Ellis Cuevas)

#### Library Literature of ships, sailing available

By **JOE PILET**  
Hancock Library  
Information Officer  
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**CHRISTMAS CAROLS**-Girl Scouts from Bay St. Louis Troop 97, led by Paddy Johnson, serenade residents of Gulfview Haven Nursing Home. The girls sang and danced for Christmas Party while members of the Busy Fingers Homemaker's Club served punch to the residents. (Staff photo-Rich Adams)



**ENTERTAINMENT**-Girl Scouts from Bay St. Louis Troop 97 perform a disco dance to the music from the movie 'Grease' as entertainment for residents of Gulfview Haven Nursing Home in Bay St. Louis. The girls sang and danced while members of the Busy Fingers Homemaker's Club served punch and goodies. (Staff photo-Rich Adams)

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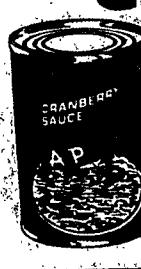
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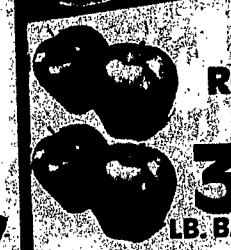
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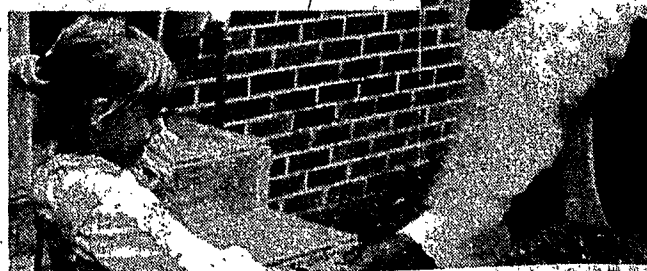
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Harry Farve, James Sheppard, Margaret Cuevas and Ina Claire Whavers

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Bridgett Stewart's turn

## Girl Scout Troop 429 makes gifts for Headstart



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## Stewart named SMRC physician

Dr. W.K. Stewart, Gulfport Memorial Hospital chief of staff, has been named staff physician for the South Mississippi Retardation Center in Long Beach.

Dr. Stewart and his wife, Ann, have resided in Pass Christian for approximately 15 years. Their children, two sons and one daughter, range in age from 9 to 16 years.

Dr. Stewart received a BS in pharmacy from the University of Kansas and an M.D. from the University of Missouri.

He served one year internship at Brooks Army

Medical Center in San Antonio, Texas, and one year's residency in family or general practice in La Plaz, Louisiana.

He has been practicing in Pass Christian since 1965.

Dr. Stewart is a member of the American, the Mississippi, and the Coast Counties Medical Associations, and of the Mississippi Academy of Family Practice.

He is a Fellow of the American Academy of Family Practice and is on the American Board of Family Practices directorate.



**DIRECTOR LEADS**—Mrs. Olive McKenna leads the singing Saturday prior to an appearance by Santa at Bay St. Louis City Hall. (Staff photo-Ellis Cuevas)

## New bills designed to curb 'corruption in public office'

Two bills designed to "root out corruption in public office" were introduced into the state House of Representatives Monday by Harrison County Representative Gerald Blessey, the representative's office reported.

According to a spokesman for the representative, one of the bills will create a public official's ethics commission and the other will require financial disclosure of public officials' financial interests and prohibitions of conflicts of interest.

"The bill requiring financial disclosure and prohibiting conflicts is exactly the same bill which Representative Blessey led to a passage in the House of Representatives in 1975, only to see it defeated at the hand of a few powerful senators in a conference committee that year," the spokesman said.

According to the representatives office, one of the major opponents of the bill in the senate in 1975 was Senator Bill Burgin, who was recently convicted using his office to defraud the federal government.

"This year is the best opportunity we have had in many years to enact ethics legislation requiring financial disclosure, prohibiting conflicts and establishing an ethics commission," Blessey said.

"During the past year disclosures by news media of corruption in high places in state government have renewed public interest in obtaining new laws to remove such conduct from government," he continued.

"The ethics commission which I have proposed would consist of five commissioners, one to be elected from each congressional district at the next regular state-wide election and each four years thereafter," Blessey said.

"This ethics commission will have the power to hire independent auditors and special prosecutors to deal with violations of law by public bodies and public officials elected or appointed," the Representative added.

"Any persons convicted under this new law would be removed from office," he explained.

The representative said the financial disclosure bill will require persons in elected or appointed offices to disclose financial interests in cases where significant amounts of taxpayer's money is involved.

"The disclosures would be made available to the public who then may judge for themselves whether the public officials association are, in fact, resulting in a conflict," Blessey continued.

"The majority of officials

who are honest and hard-working will have nothing to fear by disclosing their economic interests or relationships," Blessey stated.

"The simple act of requiring a routine disclosure of interests will in itself deter much wrong-doing, because increasing the public awareness of relationships and thus increasing the public's judgement of an official's stewardship results in a climate where improper action cannot go undetected," the representative added.

"Responsibility for the quality of government rests with the voters. In 1979 the voter's responsibility may be exercised best by determining which candidates are willing to take these new steps to remove corruption and improve public awareness of official actions," he concluded.

Reflecting on his unsuccessful attempts to enact financial disclosure and ethics commission laws in 1974 and 1975, which were marked by bitter opposition from some senate leaders in state government, Blessey said, "Time has caught up with corruption in state government; I believe the year has finally arrived to enact the laws to root out such corruption."

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For further information write Mrs. Billie McLarty, 121 Boxwood Drive, Franklin, Tenn. 37064.

National Teen-ager Pageant to be held in August, 1979.

A scholarship from M.U.W., an all-expense-paid trip to compete in the national pageant in Atlanta, and other gifts will be received by the Mississippi winner.

Contestants will be judged on scholastic achievement, leadership, poise, personality

## MUW to co-sponsor Miss Mississippi Teen-ager

"What's Right About America" will be the theme of the 1979 Miss Mississippi National Teen-ager Pageant to be cosponsored by Mississippi University for Women April 20-22 in Columbus.

Young ladies between 13 and 18 years of age are invited to participate in the pageant, which is the official state preliminary to the Miss

and appearance. There will be no swim suit competition.

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**HERE'S TO '79**—Arthur Fiedler leads the Boston Pops Orchestra in a special New Years Eve party on Mississippi ETV beginning at 10 p.m., Sunday, Dec. 31. Viewers may join in the revelry as the orchestra plays a medley of holiday favorites, including the traditional "Auld Lang Syne."

## Education official gives tips to improve reading

"The greatest gift you can give your child is a love of reading," emphasized State Reading Supervisor Mary Ann Baird as she addressed the Title I Parent Advisory Councils of Hancock North Central, Gulfview, and Charles B. Murphy Elementary Schools.

"To plan an effective educational program for children," continued Miss Baird, "it takes the dedicated efforts of parents, teachers, and school administrators." Miss Baird stressed the following important ways that parents can help their children improve reading abilities.

1. Read to children every day and have children read aloud for short periods of time.
2. Praise children in a pleasant atmosphere as he

reads.

3. Talk to children and listen to them. They can not read what they don't understand.

4. Discipline is the home's first responsibility.

5. Help children develop good attendance habits.

6. Encourage children to join a library and use its services.

7. Help them establish a home library.

8. Guide children to make quality selections of the movies and television programs they watch.

9. Above all - accept children as they are. Encourage children to perform academically commensurate with their varied abilities.

Ms. Baird spoke to Hancock County Schools parents last week.

## Week-long tree planting observance set Feb. 5-9

Plans for Mississippi's fifth annual statewide Tree Planting Week were formulated at a Nov. 28 meeting of the State Tree Planting and Forest Development Committee at Mississippi Forestry Commission headquarters in Jackson.

Dates for the special trees planting event which climaxes each year on Arbor Day will be Feb. 5-9.

Soil Conservation Districts in all 82 Mississippi counties have again been called on to serve as primary sponsors of the annual event, with able assistance at the local level from the Garden Clubs of Mississippi, forestry and other agencies, industries and individuals.

We hope to make Tree Planting Week 1979 the biggest and best ever," declared L. L. "Moon" Mullins of Starkville, chairman of the upcoming event. Mullins was instrumental in getting the statewide observance started in 1975 after spearheading a similar annual effort in Oktibbeha County for many years.

In a report to the overall committee, Mullins said 77 of

the State's 82 counties held local Tree Planting Week observances this past winter.

In four previous events a total of nearly five million trees have been planted by school children and other citizen participants.

More than 100,000 children took part in the planting ceremonies at 440 schools throughout the State during Tree Planting Week - 1978, according to Mullins.

State Forester Jack Holman, named as the new chairman of the State Tree Planting and Forest Development Committee, wholeheartedly endorsed the annual "celebration of trees" in the Magnolia State and pledged the continued support of the State Forestry Commission in helping to conduct the cooperative effort.

He praised the observance as being "an excellent opportunity for Mississippi citizens to play a personal part in recognition of the economic and environmental importance of trees to all of us."

Other committee officials named at the meeting are James Martin, Rankin County tree farmer, vice-chairman,

Tom Monaghan, assistant extension forester, Mississippi Cooperative Extension Service, secretary and chairman of the vendor sub-committee;

L. L. Mullins, chairman of the tree planting week sub-committee; and Bill Colvin, Mississippi Forestry Commission, chairman of the sub-committee on publicity.

**CHEERLEADERS PICKED**—Ole Miss cheerleaders, competing with other squads from universities throughout the United States, have been selected as one of the nation's top five cheerleader teams by the International Cheerleader Foundation. The five top squads will appear on a television special to be broadcast by CBS in 1979.

Films of cheerleader squads from throughout the country were judged and the other finalists picked. The University's Public Relations Department film crew produced the Ole Miss squad's film. Other schools in the five finalists are the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Michigan State University, the University of Tulsa and the University of Southern California.

## Bell honored with service award

Clarence R. Bell of Bay St. Louis received a 15 year service certificate at recent awards ceremonies at the Gulfport Seabee Center.

Some 20 civilian employees at the Center were presented awards by Captain Robert J. McHugh Jr., commanding officer.

Receiving outstanding performance certificates were L. V. Bond, Klain W. Garriga, Mary F. Vuncannon, Marjorie S. Gray, all of Gulfport, and James A. Cairre of the St. Martin Community.

John M. Webb of Gulfport received an outstanding

performance award and a safety award.

Harold A. Switzer of Gulfport received a 35-year Length of Service certificate and pin.

Emil J. Guel of Gulfport and Albert D. Kranz of Long Beach received 30 year certificates with pins.

Twenty five year service certificates and pins were presented to Woodrow B. Saucier and John W. Daniels, Jr., of Gulfport; Lesley H. Cowart of Lucedale and George E. Rishel of Long Beach.

Gene B. Chew and Wilma B. Walker of Gulfport and Lupe C. Hawes of Long Beach also each received 15 year length of service certificates.

Charles Bryant of Gulfport, Valeta V. Sutton of Biloxi and Ira L. Hathaway of Long Beach received 10 year length of service certificates.

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## Christmas decor judged tonight

Judging of the Bay-Waveland Garden Club's Christmas Decorating Contest will be tonight at 7 p.m., Mrs. J.R. Autenrieth of the garden club reminds participants of the contest.

"All businessmen and householders are asked to be sure to turn on all Christmas lights prior to that time," Mrs. Autenrieth said.

The reminder came at a Dec. 14 meeting of the organization.

In other business, Jan Brameyer announced a planned plant exchange to

take place at the Jan. 11 meeting, adding all members should bring a plant with a description and cultivation instructions.

"Joyus Noel" was the theme of a Christmas Flower Show conducted at the meeting, and best in show awards were given.

Jan Brameyer won the design division for her "Joy to the World" entry, and Mrs. Clarence Evans took honors in the horticulture division with her container grown plants.

Refreshments were served following the meeting.

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**POURING CHRISTMAS CHEER**—Delphine Taconi, president of the Busy Fingers Homemakers Club, pours punch for residents of Gulfview Haven Nursing Home during a Christmas program at the home. Also participating in the presentation were Girl Scouts from Bay St. Louis Troop 97. (Staff photo—Rich Adams)

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## Caution urged in tot use of Star Wars toys

According to Paul Rankin of the Mississippi State Board of Health, Mattel, Inc. is cooperating with the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission by initiating a voluntary program of attaching labels on warehouse inventories of certain Battler-Galactica space toys.

The labels warn that the

missiles should not be pointed toward a child's face or put into his mouth.

The action is being taken in response to reports of three accidents involving the products. In each case, a child swallowed or aspirated a red missile and had to receive medical treatment.

The small red missiles are

sold with Mattel's "Colonial Viper" (No. 2531), "Colonial Starab" (No. 2534), "Colonial Stellar Probe" (No. 2533), and "Cylon Raider" (No. 2532) space vehicles. Each of these toys is equipped to launch the missiles.

According to Mattel, other than the need for a label, the products meet or exceed all

existing and proposed CPSC standards.

Mattel and the Consumer Product Safety Commission remind parents that small pieces are found in many manufacturers' toys and games intended for older children.

Parents should caution children against putting small objects of any type into their mouths even in fun and should insure that small pieces from older children's toys be kept away from younger brothers and sisters.

For further information, call Paul Rankin at 354-6616.

## PRC spring semester offers course variety

Hancock County adults in the Pearl River Junior College district will have convenient opportunities to choose a variety of vocational or college academic programs next spring semester, a college spokesman said.

A long list of academic programs are planned for Bay St. Louis, Picayune, Columbia, Purvis, and Poplarville.

Vocational courses are scheduled for the Hancock, Hattiesburg, and Purvis centers as well as the Poplarville complex, the spokesman added.

Registration for the following classes at the Hancock County Center will be Jan. 3, 4, and 5 from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.:

Business & Office-Typing I, \$30, Tues; Typing II, \$30, Thurs; Shorthand I, \$30, Thurs; Office Machines, \$30, Wed; Bookkeeping I, \$30, Tues.

Trade and Industrial-Auto Mechanics, \$60, Mond-Wed; Carpentry-Cabinetmaking, \$70, Tues-Thurs; Masonry (Bricklaying), \$40, Mon-Wed; Basic Machinist, \$70, Tues-Thurs; Electricity, \$70, Tues-Thurs; Air Conditioning & Refrigeration, \$70, Mon-Wed; Welding, \$120, Tues-Thurs.

(Plus Book-Plus Equipment) Academic-English Literature 1222, Wed; English

1113, Thurs; U.S. History 2213, Tues; World History 1113, Tues; General Biology 1134, Mon; Algebra 1313, or General Math 1113, Wed; General Psychology 1513, Thurs; Personal Hygiene 1213, Thurs. Academic fees are \$15 per semester hour, \$5 registration fee. (Plus book)

The Poplarville complex will hold an academic-organizational meeting Monday, Jan. 8, 1979, in the science building, room 108 at 6:30 p.m. The following classes are offered:

Psychology 2533, Nursing; Spanish 1213, Chemistry 1224, Geography 1123, General Psychology 1513, General Accounting 1214, English Composition 1113, English Literature 2323, Physical Science 2213, General Mathematics 1213, College Algebra 1313, U.S. History 2213, World History 1113, Political Science 1113, General Biology 1113, Photography 2113, Sociology 2113, Marriage and Family 2143, Introductory Art 1223, Speech 1113, Parliamentary Procedure 1613.

A vocational-technical organizational meeting at Poplarville is scheduled Monday, Jan. 8, 1979, at 6 p.m. at the Vo-Tech Building. The following courses are offered: Auto Mechanics, Tues-Thurs, \$60; Diesel Mechanics, Mon-Wed, \$60; Electricity,

Tues-Thurs, \$70; Masonry, Tues-Thurs, \$40; Welding Prod., Mon-Wed, \$120; Welding Prod., Tues-Thurs, \$120; Key Punch, Mon. \$40; Shorthand, Thurs, \$30; Typing, Tues, \$30; Typing, Thurs, \$30.

An academic organizational meeting at Picayune will be held Tuesday, Jan. 9, 1979, at the Picayune High School Library at 6:30 p.m. to discuss the following courses:

Speech, World History 1113, U.S. History 2213, Political Science, General Mathematics 1213, Algebra 1313, Trigonometry 1323, General Psychology 1513, Sociology 2113, Psychology 2533 (Nursing)



IT'S COLD OUTSIDE—Mrs. Judy McCormick holds son as they listen to Christmas carols at Bay St. Louis City Hall Saturday. (Staff photo—Ellis Cuevas)



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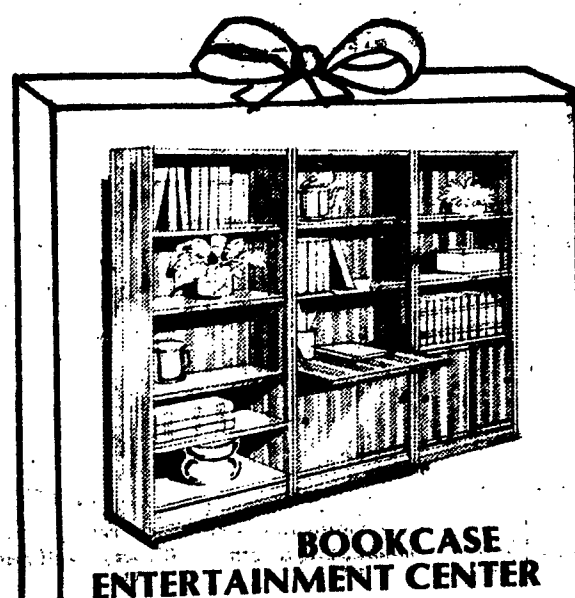


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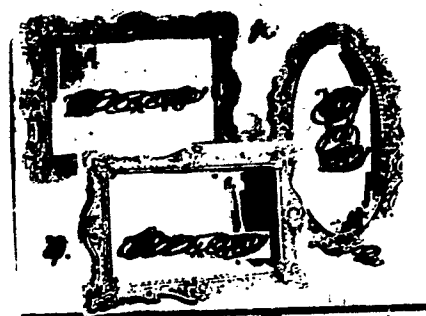
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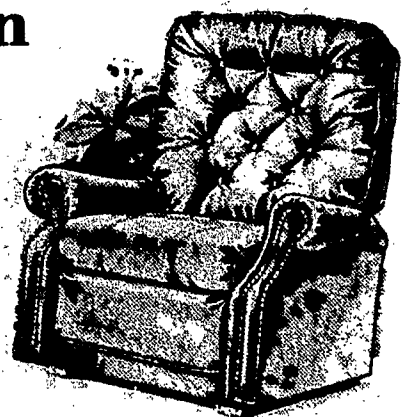
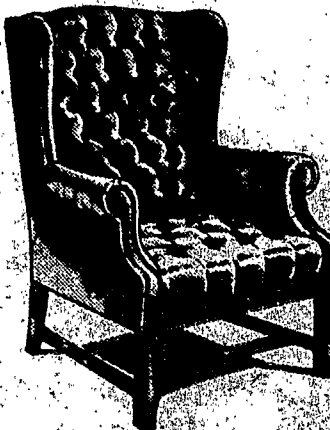
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- PORK LOINS**
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- LOIN HALF **1.49**





Ronia Nelson, Terry Asher, Debbie Asher, Christine Brink, Lisa Asher, Tracy Butsh, Jackie Brink, Stephen Brink, and Eddie Sanders

## A Christmas tableau in Waveland



Bobby Raymond



Eddie Sanders, Fred Asher, Tommy Brink, Randy Perkins and John Perkins

## Oxygen depletion sensor precludes heater vents

According to Paul Rankin of the Mississippi State Board of Health, the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) intends to propose a standard to improve unvented gas-fired space heaters by the use of an oxygen depletion sensor that would shut off the heaters before a hazardous atmosphere develops.

The Commission also will propose to withdraw its February 1978 proposal to ban the heaters which have been linked to carbon monoxide poisonings or asphyxiation deaths of at least 73 people since 1973. According to CPSC, the issuance of such a standard would make banning unnecessary.

These inexpensive space heaters are mainly found in the southern and southwestern United States where central heating systems are uneconomical because cold temperatures are not prevalent. Some 7-10 million heaters may presently be in use. These existing heaters

would not be affected by any standard the Commission may issue.

Because the unvented heaters do not have a vent to remove combustion wastes, there is a possibility of carbon monoxide poisoning. Inadequate ventilation or maladjusted burners were associated with the deaths of victims who were using these heaters.

CPSC warns that anyone using an unvented gas space heater should read the labeling and keep the room where the heater is used well ventilated. Symptoms of carbon monoxide poisoning resemble those of the flu with headaches, dizziness or nausea.

Consumers should turn off the appliance and open a window or door if these symptoms should occur. Interest in the unvented heaters was aroused by a petition which asked for a mandatory safety standard and labeling rules for all space heaters.

However, the Commission concluded that only unvented gas-fired space heaters present an unreasonable risk of injury and therefore proposed that they be banned. At that time the Commission was not aware of a standard that could protect against carbon monoxide.

Sensing and shut-off devices have been incorporated into French, British, and German models of unvented gas space heaters. The staff's draft rule would include portions of a voluntary standard issued by the American National Standards Institute which provides for oxygen depletion sensors.

With the aide of the National Bureau of Standards, the Commission staff has also studied certain temperature limiting devices that would turn off these heaters when the temperature of the living space registers 100 degrees. The CPSC staff found that

these devices did not perform adequately to address the hazard of carbon monoxide buildup.

It has been estimated that the oxygen depletion sensors would cost the heater manufacturer around two dollars. While it is predicted that this would add to the cost of these heaters to the consumer, a medium-sized unvented gas space heater generally is cheaper to operate than a vented heater.

A new pamphlet, entitled "Caution - Choosing and Using Your Gas Space Heater" is now available in both English and Spanish versions from CPSC. The pamphlet contains tips on what consumers should look for when buying and using a gas space heater. To get a free copy, write Gas Space Heater Pamphlet, Consumer Product Safety Commission, Washington, D.C. 20207.

For further information, contact Paul Rankin at 354-6616.

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## Local newspapers studied on METV

The role of the small-town newspaper in rural American life is observed in a special ETN program to be broadcast at 5 p.m., Sunday, December 31.

"The Spirit" of Punxsutawney can be seen on the Mississippi Educational Television Network (channel 19, Biloxi).

The hour-long documentary focuses on "The Spirit," a morning daily newspaper serving the small Pennsylvania city of Punxsutawney, known as the home of Groundhog Day. The program follows the day-to-day routine of reporters, showing how the gathering of local news is part of a complex relationship between reporters and town residents.

Among those who appear in the documentary is the newspaper's young general

manager, George Sample. The program also reveals the sometimes humorous conflict between Sample and veteran staff member over how the paper covers local people and events.

The program also follows the paper's night editor, whose ideas of journalism are attacked in a conversation with are police officers; the social editor, whose work ranges from covering a "funny hat" contest at a local senior citizens' club to interviewing a newly-arrived Vietnamese refugee family; and the city editor, who is followed as he covers town council meetings and handles an irate call from a reader.

"The Spirit" of Punxsutawney was produced by WPSX-TV-University Park, Penn. (Pennsylvania State University).



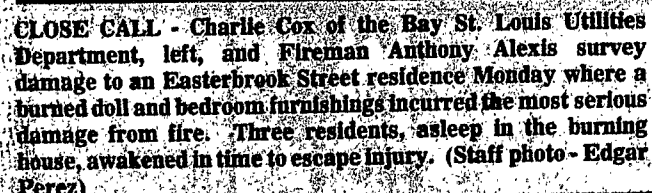
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CLOSE CALL - Charlie Cox of the Bay St. Louis Utilities Department, left, and Fireman Anthony Alexis survey damage to an Easterbrook Street residence Monday where a burned doll and bedroom furnishings incurred the most serious damage from fire. Three residents, asleep in the burning house, awakened in time to escape injury. (Staff photo - Edgar Perez)

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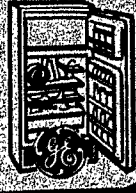
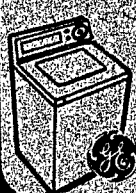
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## This Week

Compiled By Sandra Marquar

December 21 -  
December 28

### THURSDAY

#### HOSPITAL PROGRAM

Hancock General Hospital in Bay St. Louis is sponsoring a Christmas program at 7 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 21. Featured will be Claus, Rudolph and Frosty as well as a living nativity scene. Santa will distribute gifts.

#### HOMEMAKERS

The Bay St. Louis Homemakers will meet Thursday, December 21, 2 p.m. at the Agricultural Building.

#### LWML

The Lutheran Woman Missionary Ladies Circle will meet Thursday, December 21, 7 p.m. at the Lutheran Church of Pines.

#### CIVIC ASSOC.

Waveland Civic Association meets Thursday, 8:30 p.m. at Trapani's Knock-Knock, US-90, Waveland.

#### RELIGIOUS STUDY

Annunciation Catholic Church, Kiln, conducts Bible study classes at 10 a.m. and adult instructions in faith at 7:30 p.m. Thursdays at the church.

#### MARTHA GUILD

The Martha Guild of Trinity Episcopal Church meets at 10:30 a.m. today, Thursday, at the church.

#### HOSPITAL

Hancock General Hospital will sponsor a Christmas program on the hospital's front lawn Thursday, December 21 at 7 p.m. featuring Santa, Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer, and Frosty Snowman. A 'Living Nativity Scene' will also be included in the presentation. Gifts will be distributed to children present at the event.

### SATURDAY

#### SANTA

Bring your kiddie's to see and talk to Santa Saturday, December 23, 105 Andre Circle, Spanish Acres, The Schmidt's.

### SUNDAY

#### MAIN STREET UMC

The Main Street United Methodist Church in Bay St. Louis holds Sunday services at 11 a.m. preceded by Sunday School at 10 a.m.

#### MORNING WORSHIP

The First Baptist Church Christian Witness, Bay St. Louis, Morning Worship on Sundays at 11 a.m., Evening Worship at 7 p.m.

#### LUTHERAN CHURCH

The Lutheran Church of the Pines, Highway 90, Waveland, Sunday School Bible Study Sunday Worship Service, 9 a.m., Sunday School 10 a.m., each Sunday, Rev. John Helmers, Pastor.

#### RELIGIOUS EDU.

Religious education programs will be conducted at Kiln Annunciation Catholic Church, and Fenton St. Joseph Catholic Church on Sundays from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. and at White Cypress Infant Jesus of Prague Catholic Church from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

#### BAPTIST SERVICES

The Bay St. Louis First Baptist Church conducts Sunday School Bible Study Hour at 9:45 a.m. and Morning Worship Hour at 11 a.m. Sundays at the church, Main Street.

Fraternal, civic, social, submit information on their religious, political, athletic, meetings and other events to educational, governmental, This Week, Sea Coast Echo, organizations are invited to Box 230, Bay St. Louis, 38620.

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The Kiln V.F.W. Auxiliary No. 6285 will meet Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at the Post Home.

#### SIDELINE CLUB

The Sideline Club will meet today 8 p.m. at the Saint Stanislaus Cafeteria.

#### PASS V.F.W.

The Pass Christian V.F.W. No. 5531 will hold a meeting Tuesday 8 p.m. at the Post Home, Pass Christian.

#### BIBLE AND PRAYER

The Jesus is The Answer Center holds Bible study and prayer meeting at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday and Saturday at the church.

### WEDNESDAY

#### ROTARY

The Bay St. Louis Rotary meeting is held each Wednesday at Noon in Scalfidi's Wheel Inn, on Hwy 90 Bay St. Louis.

#### CYO

The Bay St. Louis Catholic Youth Organization meeting is each Wednesday, 7 p.m. at the OLG CYO Room.

#### THE BIBLE

Adult religious education program on discovering 'The Bible' will be conducted by Father Hissey at white Cypress Infant Jesus of Prague and by Father Walsh and Sister Josepha at Kiln Annunciation at 6:30 p.m. Wednesdays.

#### CHOIR

Our Lady of the Gulf Choir practice is held each Wednesday, 7:30, at the church.

#### OVEREATERS

Overeaters Anonymous meets 7 p.m. Wednesday at St. Augustine Seminary, US-90, Bay St. Louis.

#### BSL JAYCEES

The Bay St. Louis Jaycees meet at 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays at the Gulf National Bank Conference Room, US-90.

#### BAY BOOSTERS

The Bay High Tiger Booster Club meets at 7 p.m. Wednesdays at the Bay Senior High School cafeteria on Blue Meadow Road, Bay St. Louis.

### COMING EVENTS

#### PUBLIC CLINICS

Hancock County Health Department on Dunbar Avenue conducts an immunization clinic from 8 a.m. to noon Mondays and from 1 to 4:30 p.m. Thursdays.

#### Maternity clinic

is held on Monday afternoons with patients due in the clinic by 1 p.m. For information, call 467-5410.

#### COUNCIL

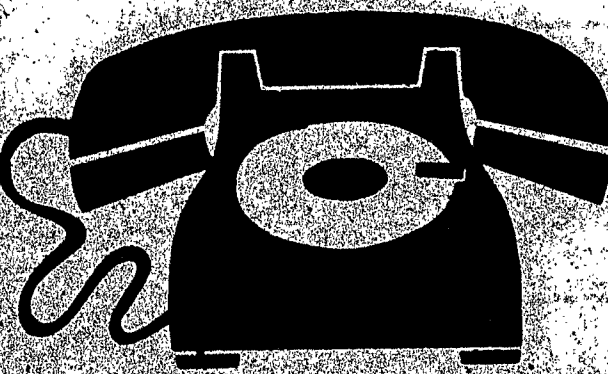
The Our Lady of the Gulf Parish Council will meet Thursday, December 28, 7:30 at the Parish Hall.

#### HCARC

The Hancock County association for Retarded Citizens will meet Thursday, December 28, 7:30 at the Gulf National Bank.

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### COMING EVENTS

#### BOOK MINISTRY

The First Presbyterian Church of Bay St. Louis opens its Book Ministry store featuring books, pamphlets and study materials below retail cost on a variety of interests including biography, Christian growth, personal bible studies, children's stories, maps and greetings from 6:30 to 7:15 p.m. Wednesdays; 10 a.m. to 12 Saturdays; and 9 to 9:25 a.m. and 12:05 to 1 p.m. Sundays in the church building, 114 Ulman Ave. For more information call Barbara Kinnebrew, 467-3968.

#### HOMEMAKERS

The Hancock County Extension Homemakers Council will meet at 12:30 p.m., January 4, in extension auditorium.

#### PRAYER

The Charismatic prayer group will not hold its weekly meeting Thursday, December 28, because of the holidays. The next meeting will be at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, January 4, in St. Augustine Seminary cafeteria.

#### RSVP

The Retired Senior Volunteer Program will hold a meeting Thursday, December 28, 2 p.m. at the Civil Defense Office.

### Little Miss, Miss Teen

#### pageant Jan. 20

The first Hancock County Little Miss-Teen contest will be held at the St. Augustine Auditorium on US-90 in Bay St. Louis Saturday, Jan. 20, 1978.

The contest is one of 40 preliminary pageants in the state. Each contestant will be

judged in sportswear-swimsuit and party dress as well as interview.

Applications for the beauty pageant are available at the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce on US-90 in Bay St. Louis.

Participants are required to post a \$25 entry fee.

### City-County Library boasts

#### new doors

The City-County Library on US-90 has received new swinging doors between the reception desk and the offices, compliments of the Friends of the Hancock County Library System.

The doors were constructed and installed by Michael Larroux Custom Woodwork of Bay St. Louis.

Partial funding for the doors was supplied by the Friends through a Style-A-Thon held

at Shears Delight in Bay St. Louis in August.

In addition, the Friends made a \$404 contribution to the library system for books. New officers for 1979 will be elected at a meeting on Jan. 24.

Dues are payable Jan. 1 for membership in the Friends. Individual memberships are \$2, contributing memberships are \$10, and life time memberships are \$25.

## FRIDAY FLOWER FEATURE

### Poinsettias

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### USE REPORT OF FEDERAL FUNDS

is authorized by the

PUBLIC WORKS EMPLOYMENT ACT OF 1976,

Title II, as amended, (anti-recession)

STATE AND LOCAL FISCAL ASSISTANCE ACT OF 1972,

as amended, (general revenue sharing)

### ANTI-RECESSION FISCAL ASSISTANCE

The government of Hancock County has used its anti-recession fiscal assistance funds for the fiscal year 1977 to 1978 as follows:

[Amounts actually expended from anti-recession funds]

Function or purpose of expenditure	Current	Capital
Roads	4,128	
Financial and general admin.	7,444	
FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING		

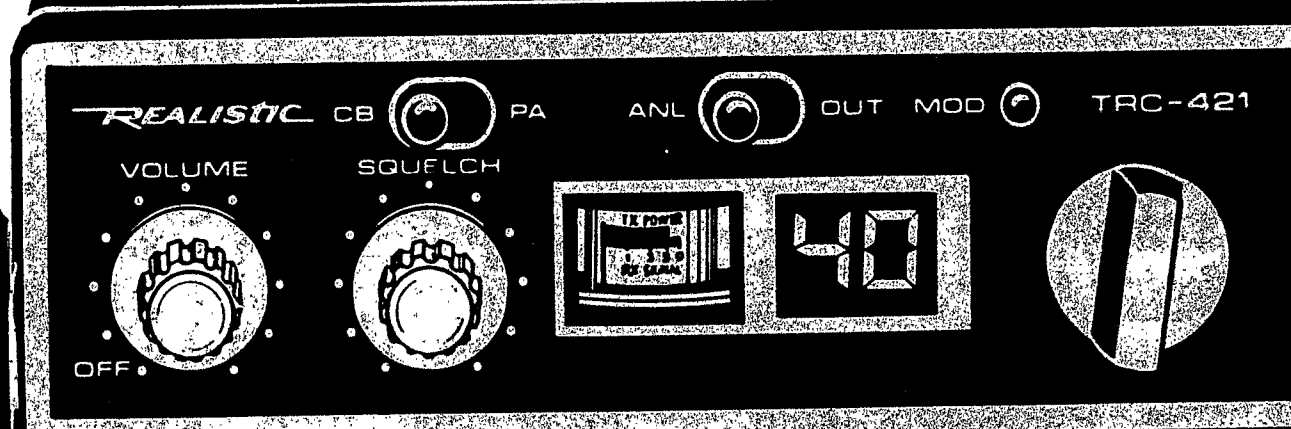
A copy of the actual use report on general revenue sharing and anti-recession fiscal assistance funds and supporting data for the fiscal year 1977 to 1978 is available at the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce during the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. for public inspection.

Signature of Chief Executive Officer  
Date 12/13/78  
Telephone number 467-5404

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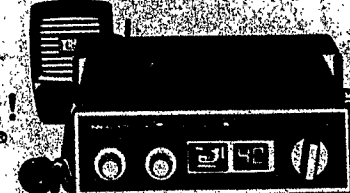
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**Large Eggs**  
NATIONAL USDA GRADE "A"  
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PREMIUM FRESH OR FROZEN  
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